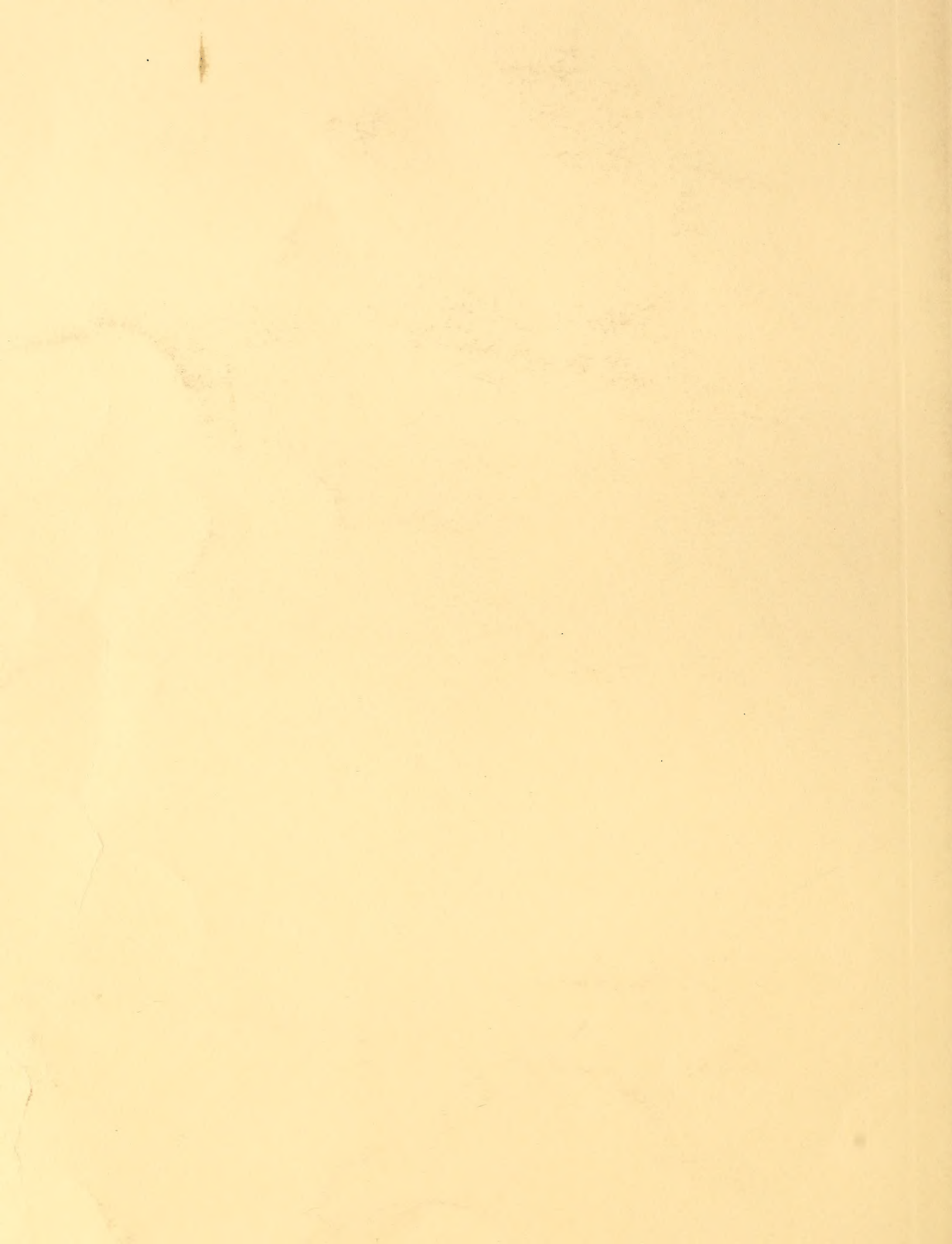


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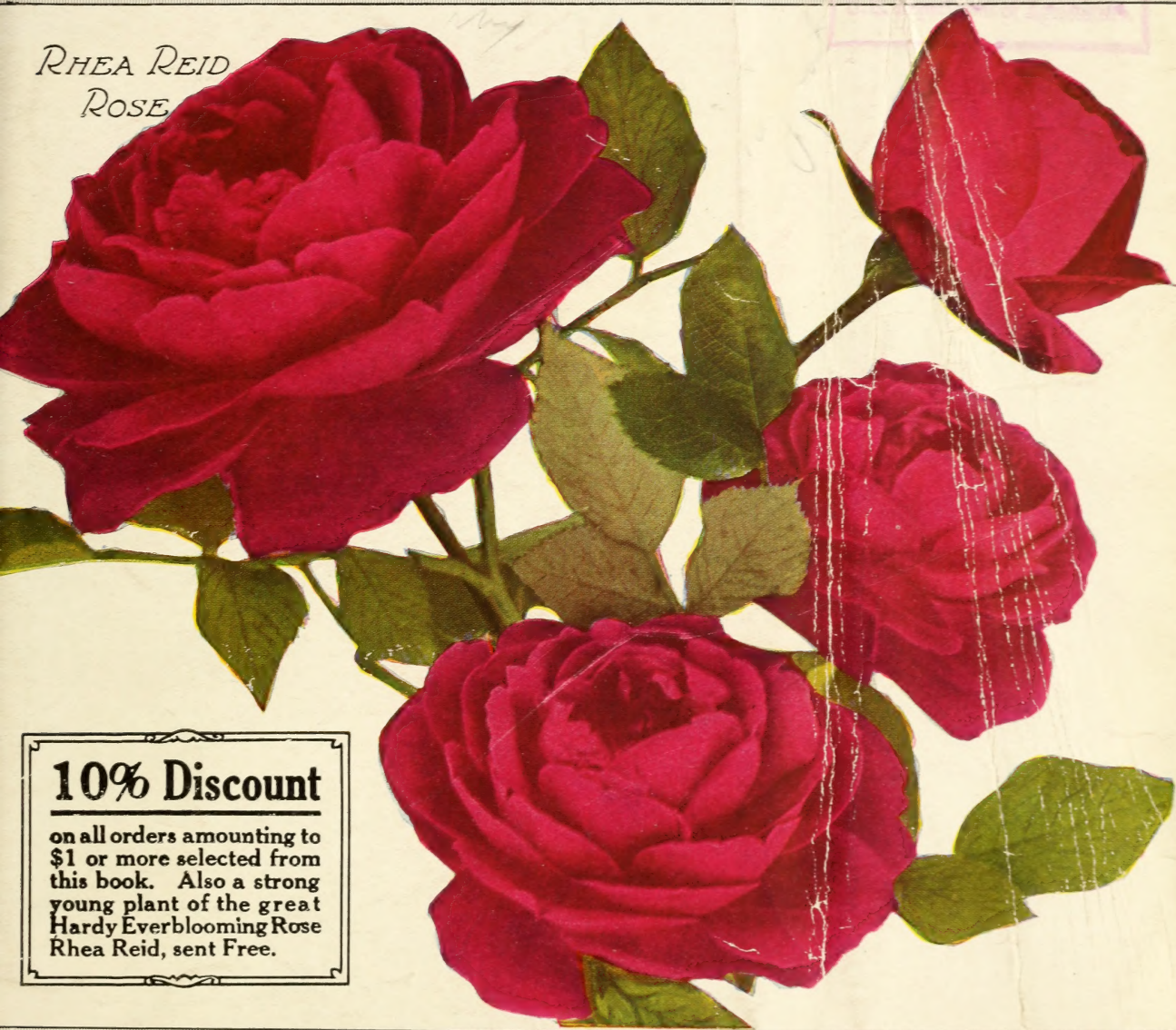
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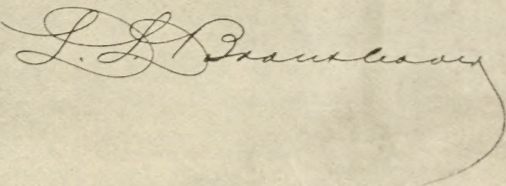
Last spring I purchased about seventy two-year-old pot grown roses from you, comprising Hybrid Perpetuals, Tea and Hybrid Teas, - all these were received in first-class condition and set-out immediately. The weather was very cold especially at night, - most all the roses lost their leaves and I was at one time discouraged with them, in view of the fact that a number of my friends said that roses grown on their own roots were worthless and that I should have bought budded roses. After a few weeks the weather was more favorable and new leaves came out and a bud here and there, - most of the buds were small and made a poor showing, which was the more discouraging as I expected blooms with "some class" from the descriptions given in your catalogue.

Two years ago I planted two dozen budded roses, which were fine vigorous looking bushes, - these were given the best of attention and I succeeded in keeping ten of the twenty-four living, - these roses have made very little and some no growth, have had a few buds, but are delicate little stocks and never will be worth the time and effort. Your roses were planted in the same location adjoining these budded roses, - every one of the seventy is alive and most have made a heavy growth of strong shoots with green foliage, producing buds not surpassed by those grown in greenhouses.

There is absolutely not a leg to stand on for those urging the planting of budded roses. You cannot compare Dingee roses grown on their own roots with cheap budded stock. I might say for your information, that the finest looking bush received from you was the only budded rose in the lot, - that was the Baroness Rothschild, - it has made very little growth, while the others all around it are doing fine.

Wishing you continued success and assuring you I shall not allow an opportunity to pass without giving you a boost, I am

Sincerely,



This is only one of many such letters we receive each season. These Roses need no experienced grower to produce such results.

OUR ROSES



HERE are two distinct methods of propagating Rose plants or bushes. One by budding or grafting a small bud or graft of the true Rose onto the root of wild manettia, sweetbriar or rugosa, and the other is by growing them on their own roots. The first method is the one employed by European growers. The cost of producing a budded plant is very small; first, on account

of the cheap labor employed, and second, on account of the cost of the wild roots and the bud. A Rose bush will produce a great quantity of eyes, buds or grafts, and each one if used in budding or grafting on wild roots makes a budded or grafted Rose bush, and of course can be sold at a very low price at a good profit. These are the ones sent to America by European growers to nurserymen, seedsmen and department stores, and they can sell them cheaply because they are cheap.

The method employed by us to produce an own root plant is to take a branch of the mother plant, with two, three or more eyes or buds, and place in sand until roots are formed on this branch. It is then planted in pots and grown until they attain the size desired. These plants have to be shifted frequently into larger pots. This method of growing Roses in this country is very much more expensive than producing the budded plants, but these own root plants are worth many times more than the budded ones, on account of their lasting qualities. A budded plant has a very weak top or branch, the wild root is the only strong part about it, and as a result the top soon dies and the roots put forth strong shoots, which are neither useful nor ornamental, as they produce no bloom and foliage is unsightly. An own root plant after once established is everlasting, as, if the top should be killed, it comes up from the roots stronger than before and of the same variety as the original. Buying cheap plants to save money is like stopping a clock to save time. Don't be induced to buy budded or grafted Roses, no matter how cheap, but start right with these own root plants that have given so much satisfaction for

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How to Grow Roses

PREPARATION OF BEDS

The way to get the best results from Roses when planted in beds is to make a trench to a depth of 15 to 18 inches, that is, the soil should be removed to that depth, well pulverized and mixed with from one-third to one-fourth its bulk with well-rotted animal manure, cow-stable manure preferable where it can be obtained. Before filling in the bed it is well to put in some material for drainage, such as soft coal cinders, broken crockery or stones, not too large. Then return the soil to the trench, and when returned it should stand from three to four inches higher than the surrounding ground, as it will quickly settle below the surface. It is necessary to do this, in order that the rain water will drain quickly away from the bed. If, however, the soil you remove from the trench is not the best Rose soil, as the best kind of soil for Roses is a clayey loam, if your soil does not contain this it can be improved by mixing in sods from the roadsides or fields, but if your soil is too heavy it should be lightened with a portion of sand. The soil before returning to the trench should be well pulverized, that is, make it as fine as possible, and also the manure should be pulverized and not left in chunks if you wish to obtain the best results. The selection of your bed is a very important matter. Roses thrive best where they can secure all the sun possible, that is, do not plant them close to trees or shrubbery, as the roots of these extend farther than the branches. Select, if possible, an open situation, where the plants will receive plenty of air and sunshine. It is not, however, necessary that they should receive the sunshine the entire day. A southeastern exposure is an ideal one.

PLANTING

As soon as the plants are received it is best to immediately plant, yet if it is impossible to do this the plants should be placed in a cellar or moderately warm place and protected from the sun. Set them upright to admit the free circulation of air. Water freely from time to time. The roots should be covered with soil or burlap and never allowed to become dry. Soaking the roots in lukewarm water or thin mud for an hour or two before planting to restore their vitality is beneficial. Do not set the plants too shallow. They should be planted deeper than they were growing in the pots before shipping. This can easily be determined by an examination of the plant. The roots of the plants should be spread out and not cramped. Give them as near a natural position as possible. Use plenty of water after planting and shade for a few days if the sun is hot, with a newspaper or similar material, and if the season is a dry one an occasional watering will be beneficial. The best time to plant such Roses as we send out, being pot grown, own root stock, is in early Spring, as soon as all danger of frost is past and the ground is warm and pliable, or, in other words, about corn planting time. This time, of course, varies with the location. Here in Pennsylvania about the first of May is our planting time. Further north, it is a little later; further South, earlier. February, March and April are good months for Roses on the Pacific Coast and the far South. This refers entirely to pot-grown plants and not dormant plants.

PRUNING

As a rule the Roses that we send out do not need any pruning, being pot grown plants. However, if the bushes are more spreading than is desired it does not injure the plant any to prune it back. Pruning can be done at any season of the year with a certain class of Roses, but it is a matter to be governed by

the judgment of the possessor of the plants. The best time for pruning is in early spring, just before they begin to break at the eyes. Then it is well to trim Roses back to about one-third to one-half the season's growth. The larger and heavier the growth the more it should be trimmed. It is sometimes beneficial in the fall to trim Roses that have made a growth of from five to six feet, soon after heavy frost or hard freezing. They then should be cut back about three feet to prevent loosening the plants by the wintry winds. It also makes them easier to protect. No further pruning, however, should be done until, as stated above, early Spring, just before they begin to break at the eye, then the old wood should be pruned back and all of the wood that has been winter killed.

WINTER PROTECTION

The protection necessary to keep Roses safely through the winter months depends entirely upon the character of the plant and the location. For such Roses as the Hybrid Perpetuals, Rugosas, Harrison's Yellow, etc., very little protection is necessary in any climate, yet it is beneficial in the cold latitudes of the North to give them a protection of strawy horse stable manure after the first hard freeze. When protecting the Teas and Hybrid Teas it is a good plan to mound the earth about each plant, then fill in between the mounds with strawy stable manure, the coarser the better. The uncovered tops may be tied up with straw or burlap, or the bed filled in with leaves, straw, hay, or like material. Evergreen branches are also good. This protection should be gradually removed in March in the latitude of Philadelphia, or as soon as all danger of hard freezing is over. The tender Roses may also be wintered in boxes or pots of soil in a cool cellar or heeled in the earth itself.

Diseases and Insects

Mildew.—This disease very frequently attacks the foliage of Roses, especially the Crimson Rambler. It is shown by a grayish crinkling appearance of the leaves and usually occurs after a change in the temperature. It can be checked to a certain extent by sprinkling the leaves with powdered sulphur immediately after its appearance. If, however, this does not check it, dissolve one ounce of potassium sulphuret in two gallons of cold water and apply as a fine spray.

Green Fly or Aphis.—A green suckling insect which usually gathers in great numbers upon the tips of the new growth. A solution of tobacco made from tobacco insecticide soap, which you will find offered elsewhere in this book, will exterminate them.

Red Spider is also a small insect indiscernible to the naked eye, and a frequent spraying with a strong hose is all that is necessary. The Rose bug, a familiar insect, appears in the earlier summer, sometimes in great quantities, and is very troublesome. It is a very destructive insect and usually feeds upon the white petals, but is easily destroyed, especially in the early morning, when they will readily fall into a vessel containing kerosene. They can be poisoned, but it is not a very desirable way to get rid of them.

Black Spot.—A fungous disease, appearing, as its name indicates, as a black spot upon the leaf, eventually turning yellow and falling. The best preventative if your bushes have been troubled by it in the past is spraying with Bordeaux mixture in April before the foliage has developed and not while the flowers are in bloom, because of the discoloration of the foliage.

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HENRY M. STANLEY—Clear amber-rose.

PEARL RIVERS—Ivory-white, shaded rose.

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QUEEN'S SCARLET—Deep, velvety red.

CLIMBING CLOTILDE SOUPERT—Ivory-white.

VIRGINIA—Yellow, with tinge of saffron.

PINK LA FRANCE—Silvery pink; fragrant.

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HENRY M. STANLEY—Beautiful double flowers tinted amber-rose and apricot-yellow.

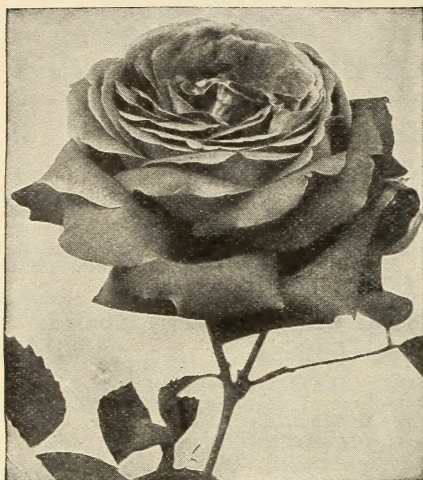
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6 2-Year-Old Roses by Express \$1.75

Hardy June Roses

On own roots. Once started
will last a lifetime

Anne de Diesbach, carmine \$0.45
Countess of Roseberry, pink .45
Francois Levet, cherry .45
Gen. Jack, crimson .45
Gloire Lyonnaise, white .45
Paul Neyron, pink .45

Regular Price\$2.70

Special Bargain Price..... 1.75
With soil on the roots.

Box Collection No. 2

7 2-Year-Old Hardy
Everbloom-
ing Roses By Express \$2.25

For those who do not know just what kind is best for a small collection we have made up several collections at ridiculously low cost. They are all standard sorts. All will give an abundance of bloom this season. Safe arrival guaranteed.

Charles Dingee, flesh pink, \$0.50
Radiance, bright pink .50
Pink Killarney .50
Yellow Killarney .45
White Maman Cochet .40
Bridesmaid, pink .35
Mrs. A. Byass, rosy red .35

Regular price\$3.05
Special Bargain Price..... 2.50

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12 Two-Year-Old
Miscellaneous
Hardy Roses
\$3.75

By Express.

Blumenschmidt, yellow ...\$0.35
Charles Dingee, pink 50
Philadelphia Crimson Rambler 40
Francois Levet, pink 45
Tausenschoen, pink and white Climber 45
Killarney, pink 50
Yellow Killarney 50
Radiance, pink 50
Bessie Brown, white 45
Mrs. A. Byass, red 35
Wm. H. Taft, pink 45
Freiherr Von Marshall, red .35

Regular price\$5.25
Special Bargain Price..... 3.75

The Cochet Roses, Popular Everywhere

If you want five of the finest Roses listed in this book, which will produce hundreds of superb flowers throughout the growing season, and producing the kind of flowers one never tires of, order this Cochet set. No matter where you live, they will give you perfect satisfaction. The Cochet Roses are perfectly hardy in every part of the country, even where the winters are most severe, with slight protection. In the more temperate sections and in the South they thrive vigorously and bloom most lavishly all summer long, growing into great, strong, lusty bushes which increase in beauty with the passing years.

Pink Maman Cochet

The Queen of all Pink Garden Roses. The buds are large, full and firm, elegantly pointed, showing depth and richness as they expand. The superb flowers open perfectly double, are extra large and of splendid substance. Hardy in every section of the country; clear rich pink, changing to silvery rose. A variety of the highest merit; one you will not regret planting.

Red Maman Cochet

(Helen Gould) — A Rose that will grow and give satisfaction in almost any soil or climate. It produces its splendid flowers in amazing profusion, on long, strong shoots. The flowers are very full, perfectly double; buds long and pointed. Color, warm, rosy crimson; hardy everywhere. Bush is absolutely hardy; always in bloom.

Crimson Maman Cochet

(Etoile de France) — A fitting companion to the other Cochet Roses on account of its vigor of growth, stiffness of foliage, freedom of bloom, and hardiness. It bears masses of full, deep-formed flowers singly, on long, substantial stems. The color is a new and clear shade of red or velvety crimson, brightening in center; of exquisite fragrance. One of the most satisfactory Hybrid Teas for garden culture. Perfectly hardy and always in bloom.

Strong, one-year-old plants of Red, White, Yellow and Crimson Cochet Roses, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00; \$1.65 per dozen; larger size, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 45c each; \$4.50 per dozen, postpaid. Still larger Specimen or Star size plants, from 6 and 7 inch pots, 75c each.

White Maman Cochet

A most magnificent snow-white Rose, with sometimes a faint tinge of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom as the Pink Cochet, the same magnificent form of buds and flowers and the same hardiness—standing at the very head of all the Roses as the best white kind for open ground culture. Vigorous as an oak and hardy everywhere. Price of Pink and White Maman Cochet: Strong one-year-old plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00, postpaid; larger size, 20c each, 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each, \$4.00 per dozen. Still larger, Specimen or Star size plants, from 6 and 7 inch pots, 75c each.

Yellow Maman Cochet

One of the best hardy, ever-blooming yellow Roses. It is ideal for open ground culture—a typical Cochet Rose, with gracefully molded buds, flowers magnificent when open, on stiff, strong stems. This kind is identical in every way with Pink and White Cochet, except in the color of the flower, which is deep sulphur-yellow.

Bud of Cochet Rose.

Special Offer One each of Pink, White, Red, Yellow and Crimson Cochet, strong plants, postpaid, for 75c; two of each, 10 in all, \$1.25; larger size, one of each, 5 in all, for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, one of each, 5 in all, \$1.75, by express. Still larger or Specimen Star size, 75c each; the 5 for \$3.50.

Our Roses are grown in large pots or crocks, which enables you to plant them safely any time during the growing season. Not like the usual nursery stock which is sent you with dry roots, and ten chances to one that they grow. Ours are shipped with the earth attached to the roots, and no risk in planting. We guarantee to deliver them in good growing condition. Few give you such a guarantee.

Five Superb Hardy Everblooming Roses

Postpaid for 75 Cents

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New and Rare Varieties



THE ROSES listed on this and the three following pages comprise the best, latest and most beautiful productions of the famous Rosarians, and all lands have contributed to this collection. We have spared no expense or effort in securing them. We offer them only after a careful watching of the habits and adaptability for outdoor culture suitable for our climate. The one-year-old plants are strong and sturdy, while the two-year-old plants are magnificent, strong bushes which will take hold immediately when planted, grow vigorously and bloom profusely. These are the largest and finest Roses ever sold,

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and are in keeping with the high quality which has made our Roses famous the world over. All grown on their own roots. Not budded, which is the usual kind secured in the new varieties. These are the best of the latest introductions, and have been proven to be just what they are represented. The stock of these new kinds is naturally limited, and orders are filled in rotation in which they are received. We therefore suggest placing your order early for these kinds and we will reserve them for you, and ship when desired or at the proper planting time.

Red Radiance

(Hybrid Tea)—No Rose has yet equalled, certainly none has excelled Radiance as a garden Rose, when all points are taken into consideration, such as hardiness, freedom of bloom, vigorous growth and character of bloom. In Red Radiance we have an exact replica of its prototype, Radiance, except in color and bud. The color is an even shade of clear red, without a trace of any other color, retaining its vividness for an unusually long time after being cut. It is a remarkable bloomer, being constantly in flower, from early spring until freezing weather. Strong, vigorous, branching grower, each branch terminating in a large, bold, double bloom. Hardy everywhere. Altogether it is a Rose destined to become one of the leading garden Roses of America. Price, first size year-old plants, 75c each; still larger, specimen or Star size, 85c each, on own roots, by express.

*MILADY—A cross between Richmond and J. B. Clark, it has retained the color of both, being a rich velvety crimson, with darker shading toward the center and retaining its color in the expanded bloom. Hardy as Clark in the open ground, and as free a bloomer as Richmond under glass. Buds medium long and opening full and double to the center, producing a magnificent flower, the beauty of which it is almost impossible to describe. Price of strong, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; large size, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen, by express. All on own roots.

MRS. MOOREFIELD STORY—Hybrid Tea. A most charming Rose. Strong, vigorous, upright grower with large, handsome foliage and practically immune from disease or insects. Flowers produced freely on long, stout stems, almost smooth. Good size and substance, opens well. Color shell pink, deepening towards the center and tipped deep rose. Price, first size plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; larger size, 40c each, 3 for \$1.00. Large two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All on own roots.



Red Radiance.

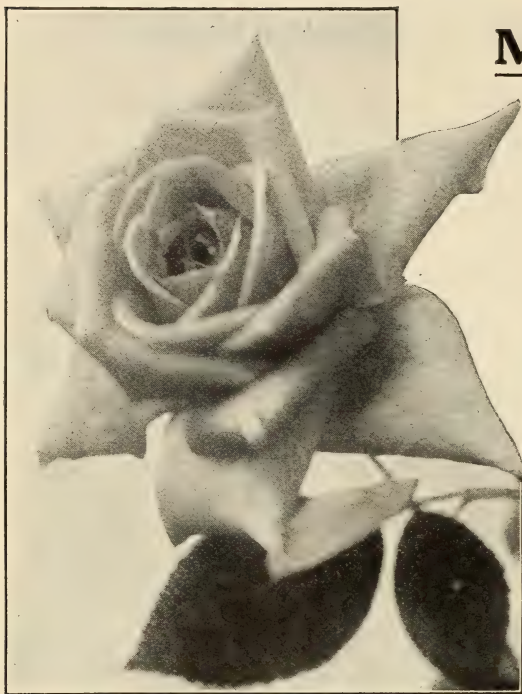
Souv. de E. Guillard

(Hybrid Tea).—A good yellow Hybrid Tea that is equally adapted for outdoor culture as well as indoor has been difficult to obtain, but at last the rosarian has produced one that we freely recommend for that purpose. A vigorous grower, produces a good bush in a short time, thus being able to withstand the severest weather without injury. Beautiful long pointed buds, opening full and double. Color saffron shaded coppery carmine, and when fully open almost entirely yellow. Sweetly scented. Always in bloom. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

WM. NOTTING—Hybrid Tea. This satisfactory bedding or garden Rose is not known as it should be. Owing to its size and freedom of bloom should be in every garden. Blooms fine, large, full and double with perfect formation. Color a bright rosy cerise, with a deeper center. Fragrant. Hardy and everblooming. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 30c each, 4 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

NEW AND RARE VARIETIES—Continued.

Mrs. F. F. Thompson



Mrs. F. F. Thompson.

(Tea)—A sport from the lovely Mrs. Geo. Shawyer, and an exact duplicate, except in color, which is a lovely shade of shell pink, with a deep glowing heart of bright pink, which brightens up the flower wonderfully. Like Shawyer, it is a vigorous grower, and blooming constantly from early Spring until late Fall. Hardy almost everywhere. An excellent one for cutting, as the lovely buds, which are produced on long, stout stems, hold their shape for an unusual length of time after cutting, and opening into such immense, full and double blooms, with petals of good substance. **Price, first size plants, 30c each, postpaid; 4 for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All on their own roots.**

EDGAR M. BURNETT—Very large, full flowers of splendid form with large flesh-colored petals tinted rose; an advance on the type of Rose of which the beautiful Lady Alice Stanley is a representative; one of the sweetest scented Roses in existence, even surpassing "La France" in this respect. Awarded gold medal, National Rose Society of England. **Price, strong first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.**

MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT (Daily Mail)—Hybrid Tea. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, of spreading, branching habit, with numerous long thorns and bronzy-green foliage. Buds coral red, shaded with yellow at the base, the open flowers are of medium size, semi-double, are of a superb coral-red, shaded with yellow and bright rosy-scarlet. **Price, first size plants, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.**

* Mrs. George Shawyer

(Tea Rose)—This is one of the newer varieties introduced by the growers of Lady Hillingdon. We have not seen a Rose that has met with such universal appreciation by both the amateur and professional grower, and has won awards in almost every place shown since it was introduced, both in this country and Europe. The color is one very hard to describe, being a brilliant shade of clear rose or bright peach-pink. It is a wonderful grower and bloomer, producing great numbers of strong shoots, each shoot tipped with a bud. These shoots form the stem, from 3 to 4 feet in length. The flowers are very large, well formed and full, petals of good substance. A very fine garden Rose, as well as forcing Rose. Blooms all season from early spring until late fall. Excellent for cutting as flowers last a long time after cutting. **Price of strong pot-grown plants, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 50c each. The stock is grown on own roots.**

OLD GOLD (Hybrid Tea)—In bud form this Rose appeals to every one on account of its wonderful color, which is entirely distinct from and not found in any other Rose, a vivid orange-red, with coppery-red and apricot shadings, opening bright salmon, which is further set off by the healthy, glossy, bright green foliage; delightfully fragrant; a vigorous grower and very free flowering. A great bedder. Awarded gold medal National Rose Society of England. **Price, first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.**

Mrs.
George Shawyer.

Varieties marked * furnished in large Specimen or Star size, 75c each, by express.

Mrs. Andrew**Carnegie**

(Hybrid Tea)—

Sometimes called an Everblooming Frau Karl Druschki. Awarded a Gold Medal by the National Rose Society, and won a host of admirers wherever shown. Owing to its resemblance to the Frau Karl Druschki it has been termed by some as an Everblooming Druschki. Flowers are almost perfect in form, with a high center, and immense size. Blooms all the time. Good, robust grower. Hardy everywhere. Color almost a snow-white, but sometimes showing a slight lemon tint. Delightfully fragrant. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Large two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.



Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.

***F. R. PATZER**—Hybrid Tea. A Rose of striking and pleasing appearance, owing to the delicate blending of color, which is a creamy-buff, with the reverse of petals a delicate warm pink, and as they expand the color becomes a light orange-pink, which produces a most charming combination. Strong, vigorous grower. Produces numerous branches, each one crowned with a magnificent bud and bloom, on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. Hardy and an excellent garden variety. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; larger size, 35c each 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.

***BRITISH QUEEN**—By some said to be the finest white Rose in existence, surpassing in beauty and form any other white Rose. The flower resembles Frau Karl Druschki and White Maman Cochet, with the Tea form and refinement. Flowers freely all summer long from early spring until frost. Buds sometimes show a slight flush which disappears as the flower expands. Strong grower. Hardy. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society of England. Price, strong first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

RELANCE—A cross between Etoile de France and Chateau des Clos Vougeat. One of the showiest bedding Roses known. Color a vivid scarlet. Buds large, opening into massive blooms four inches or more in diameter and produced in wonderful abundance all season. Flowers so double that they resemble a gorgeous scarlet Peony. Dwarf habit, growing 18 to 24 inches in height. Hardy in all localities. Price, strong first size plants, 30c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express.

***MRS. WAKEFIELD CHRISTIE-MILLER**—Hybrid Tea. A handsome, vigorous grower in almost any location. Free bloomer, always loaded with handsome buds and blooms. Buds long and pointed, opening full, double and great size. Color a soft pearly blush shaded salmon. Outside of petals a clear vermilion-rose. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c, by express. All on own roots.

Mrs. Franklin Dennison

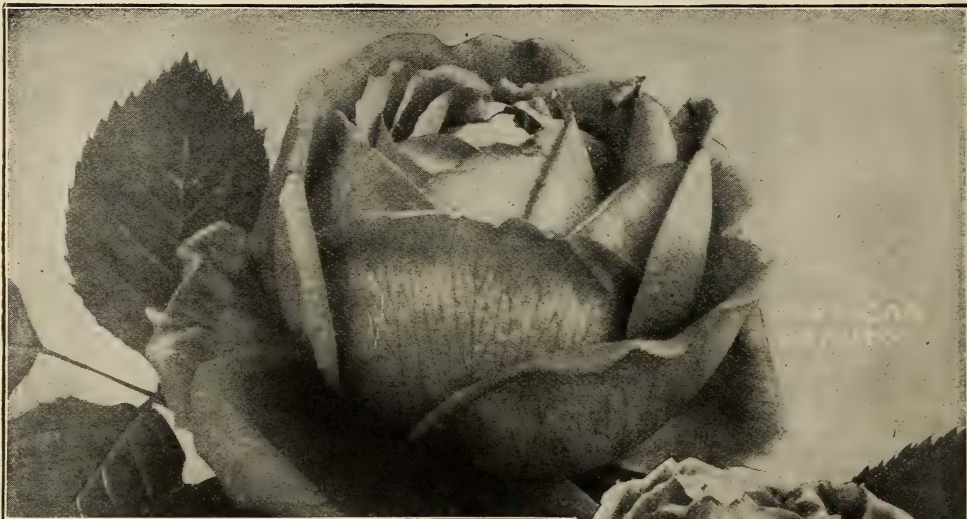
(Hybrid Tea)—Blooms are almost perfect, as large as Mildred Grant as good a grower as Frau Karl Druschki, yet flowers so freely that it must be classed a really good garden variety; and as an exhibition Rose it stands unique amongst Hybrid Teas. The color is most difficult to describe—porcelain-white veiled primrose-yellow, deepening to ochre at base. The blooms are enormous size, beautifully pointed, and of great substance, being very full, and a model Rose for exhibition. Delightfully perfumed. Price, first size plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; larger size, 40c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Large two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All on own roots.

LADY PLYMOUTH—Tea. Awarded a gold medal by The National Rose Society. A Rose similar to Souv. de Pierre Notting, which means handsome, pointed buds and full, double bloom of large size. Good strong grower and hardy everywhere. Being a Tea it blooms all the time and has the delightful tea fragrance. The color is a delicate pearly but deep ivory-cream, faintly flushed. Prices, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Large two-year-old plants, 60c each; \$6.00 per dozen, by express. All on own roots.

Varieties marked * furnished in large Specimen or Star size from 6- and 7-inch pots, 75c each.

American Beauties

If any Rose has earned the title of the "National Rose," it is American Beauty. Wherever the Rose is known, it is the queen. In size, color, form and fragrance it has no equal. Quick, healthy, bushy growth, either in pots or outdoors, with magnificent foliage, it produces in abundance glorious buds and large, deep, double flowers of immense size. The three kinds make a gorgeous combination.

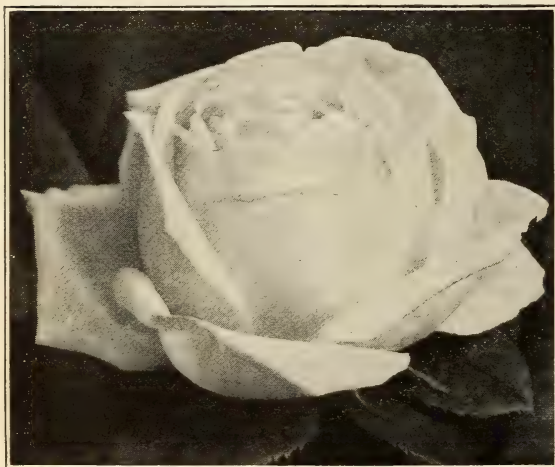


Crimson American Beauty

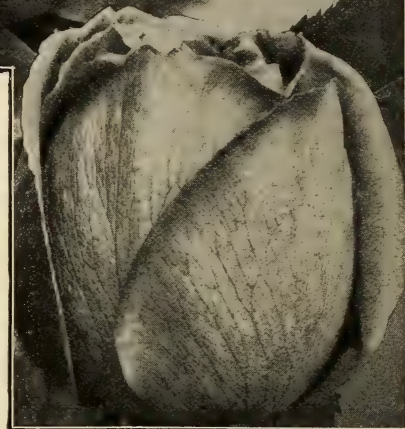
American Beauty is splendid for open-ground culture, and is hardy in nearly all localities, except where the winters are particularly severe, **provided the true stock is planted.** Our plants are grown in specially prepared soil by our own expert growers. We guarantee our plants to be true to name, absolutely first-class in every particular. **Rich crimson, charmingly shaded and veined.**

Pink American Beauty

(Queen of Edgely)—We believe we are the only house offering this beautiful new variety, which is identical in every way with American Beauty, of which it is an offspring, except in color, which is **soft, rich pink**, fading still lighter as flower grows older. Has the same massive, cup-shaped flowers and fragrance.



White American Beauty



White American Beauty

(Frau Karl Druschki)—This brilliant white type Rose has become renowned as the very highest type of its class and the best snow-white Rose ever introduced. It is an extraordinarily strong grower, branching freely, and has the vigor and hardiness of an oak. Large, heavy foliage and magnificent flowers that are nothing less than glorious—immense in size and produced with great freedom on long, stiff stems. The color is marvelously white, without a tinge of yellow or any other shade. Hardy everywhere.

Price of American Beauty Rose in extra strong, one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; extra heavy, two-year-old plants, 60c each. Still larger or Specimen Star size, 75c each.

Special Offer One of each, three in all, in one-year-old plants, postpaid, for 60c; extra size, 90c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 by express, charges collect.



Hybrid Tea Roses

Hybrid Tea Roses are becoming more popular every year owing to their blooming qualities, size of bloom and fragrance. This class combines the continuous-blooming quality of the Everblooming Teas and the sturdy strength of the Hybrid Perpetuals. The plants bloom from the first year like the Teas, bearing large, finely formed flowers of a wondrous range of color, with the fragrance of the June Roses. They are especially valuable to Northern planters because they stand the severest winters with ordinary protection and, of course, luxuriantly in the South. In all sections they form magnificent bushes, bearing all summer through great masses of the most beautiful Roses imaginable. They are without exception the greatest of all garden Roses.

Our stock is all on its own roots—don't buy the other kind, budded and grafted. This is important if you wish satisfactory returns. We offer strong, lusty plants in all sizes.

Antoine Rivoire

Flowers are large, double, and of fine form; very fragrant; color rosy flesh, with yellow ground, shaded with border of carmine. Strong and healthy.

AUGUSTINE HALEM—A most brilliant and handsome pink Rose with shading of deep, rich crimson. The bush is extremely hardy, free flowering and constantly in bloom.

***COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON**—Large, fragrant flowers of an exquisite shade of soft, rich carmine; blooms all summer.

***COUNTESS OF GOSSFORD**—Beautiful, clear salmon pink shaded with saffron. The flowers are of handsome shape and fine substance. In every way it is a remarkably fine bush Rose which will grow to perfection in any garden.

MY MARYLAND—Handsome in bud and flower. A rare combination of a poetic name and exquisite beauty has made this Hybrid Tea Rose a dangerous rival of Killarney. Its brilliant, lively shade of pink and beauty of form is without a superior, and all summer through large, perfectly double, magnificent flowers, rich in fragrance, are borne on long, stiff stems, growing from a sturdy, fine shaped bush, which in itself is a distinct ornament to the garden. A great outdoor Rose. Extremely hardy.

*Etoile de France

One of the best and sweetest hardy Hybrid Tea Roses of its color. The strong, upright bushes have beautiful bronze green foliage which is not subject to insect attacks. The bushes are blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers on magnificent, long stems. They are of truly glorious form and delightful fragrance, while the color is exquisite—a clear red or velvety crimson.

AURORA—Better than Champion of the World; of itself a recommendation of its great value. Flowers of splendid form, large and full, of a brilliant pink. A most vigorous, hardy garden bush Rose, constantly in bloom.

***MADAM SEGOND WEBER**—One of the most entrancingly beautiful Roses of recent introduction. The long, pointed buds are pink or salmon-flesh, and when fully expanded are immense in size, full and double; as the flower opens it deepens until it fairly glows with its warm deep pink. Highly fragrant. It is a fine, strong grower, forming a stout, sturdy bush.

NORMA—Almost like Mad. Caroline Testout in form and sturdiness of growth; of disease and insect resisting qualities; of splendid fragrance, and the color is a magnificent shade of pink. Of fine form and substance.

Price of these popular Roses, except where otherwise noted, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; 2-year-old plants, 45c each; \$4.50 per doz. of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimens or Star size, 75c each.

HYBRID TEAS—Continued.

* Prince E. C. d'Arenberg

Flowers of a bright scarlet shaded maroon, borne on long, straight, upright stems. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double, perfect form, massive petals. Resembles American Beauty in shape and size. Strong, healthy grower, excellent foliage, constant bloomer, making an ideal garden Rose, as there is no color as showy as a deep scarlet, and attracts attention wherever grown. Hardy in almost any location or climate. An excellent cut-flower variety, blooms always in demand. Price, first size or one-year-old plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger size, 30c each, 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c, by express. All on own roots.

ROBIN HOOD—A grand grower, producing heavy canes and foliage. Blooms of immense size like the June Rose or Hybrid Perpetual. Color glorious rosy scarlet that is soft, bright and lasting. Free bloomer, that is, blooming the entire growing season. Hardy everywhere. Price, first size or one-year-old plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; larger size, 45c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON—A peerless Tea-like Rose, and one of the best in our trial grounds, with beautifully smooth and massive petals. The blooms are very large, full and perfectly formed, with high-pointed center. Very sweetly perfumed. The color, which is very novel, is a dainty, clear rose-madder. The growth is vigorous, erect and of very free-flowering habit. Price, first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50 each, by express.



Prince E. C. D'Arenberg.

* Ophelia

This new Hybrid Tea Rose has the brightest future, in our estimation, of any Rose introduced for the last quarter century. The color is one so difficult to describe that any description can only be a partial one, and gives but a faint idea of the superb beauty and richness of the shades. Salmon-flesh, shaded with rose. Buds of unusual attractiveness, opening full and double. Habit excellent, growth strong, produces flowers on long stems, standing well up above the foliage, and in great profusion all summer. Price, strong first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

***KILLARNEY BRILLIANT**—An offspring of Pink Killarney, but several shades darker, the color being a beautiful shade of brilliant red. Habit of growth same as Killarney. Just as free bloomer and hardy. Price, first size or one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY—Color a glowing scarlet with darker shadings. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double, produced on long, upright stems. Strong, healthy grower. Hardy everywhere. Free blooming. Excellent cut-flower variety. Price, first size or one-year-old plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

Start Right by Planting Our Own Root Plants



Ophelia,

Varieties marked * furnished in large Specimen or Star size, 75c each,

HYBRID TEAS—Continued.

* **Kaiserin Augusta Victoria**

The greatest hardy, white Hybrid Tea Rose in existence. A strong, sturdy grower; free-flowering; it has become the most popular of all white Roses for general planting. Continuously from early spring until late fall, with pointed buds, the large, double flowers are glorious in their perfection; borne on long, stiff stems; delicate pure white, deliciously fragrant. Unexcelled for cutting; absolutely hardy. Although grown extensively under glass, it is essentially a garden Rose. There is nothing finer than this glorious Rose.

***GENERAL McARTHUR**—To those who prefer a Rose with full color, we can recommend none more highly than this gorgeous crimson-scarlet Hybrid Tea. It is hardy in practically all localities, and as an outdoor Rose it has no superior. Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth, branching freely, it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from May until October. Every shoot carries a large, double, well-formed flower of exquisite fragrance and splendid lasting quality.

DEAN HOLE—One of the handsomest of the Hybrid Teas, growing into a stout, vigorous, hardy bush, bearing all summer great numbers of gorgeous, silvery carmine Roses with salmon shadings. The coloring is distinct and unique, and the Rose is a handsome tribute to him whose name it bears.

***WILLIAM H. TAFT**—This fine Hybrid Tea bush Rose originated in the vicinity of Cincinnati. Salmon-pink, with fine fragrance. Bush is strong and vigorous in growth and very profuse in bloom. Beautiful pointed buds opening round and full. A magnificent garden Rose which makes a fine display.



The Perfect Bloom of Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.

* **Helena Cambier**

Of unusual beauty, with large, double, beautifully formed flowers, the colors are varying, ranging from salmon-rose to coppery-rose; very often a handsome saffron hue. As the flowers expand, the colors become lighter. A most remarkable sort in every respect and one to which we give our highest endorsement. Good everywhere, especially in the South.

***BESSIE BROWN**—This magnificent Rose, introduced here from Europe, has unsurpassed beauty of a totally distinct character, bearing large, full, deep and double flowers, on strong, erect stems. The plants are hardy and vigorous, producing flowers profusely in the open ground all through the summer. The color is almost pure white, though sometimes flushed with pink; petals large and of fine form.

PRIMA DONNA—A Hybrid Tea. Claimed to be one of the strongest growing Hybrid Tea Roses in cultivation, and as free a bloomer as Killarney. Color a deep rose-pink, petals waved or undulated on the edges, giving it an elegance of form seen in no other Rose. Good for forcing or outdoor growing. Strong first size plants, 30c each two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on their own roots.

***MME. LEON PAIN**—Silvery salmon, with orange-yellow center.

***PRINCE OF BULGARIA**—This magnificent Rose has been well recommended by hundreds of our customers, and we have grown an extra large stock in order that we might give it the wider distribution which its merits cause it to deserve. Not the least of its charms is the large, bright green foliage, and the buds are simply grand. The flowers are large and quite full; outer petals rosy flesh with the index of the petals of a slightly lighter tint. This wonderful Rose, of great beauty and fragrance, will be enjoyed by the owners of West Grove Rose gardens throughout the United States.



Helena Cambier.

Price of all Roses on this page, except where noted, one-year-old plants, 20c each; larger size, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 45c, by express; \$4.50 per dozen of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in large Specimen or Star size, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen.

HYBRID TEAS—Continued.

*Rena Robbins

This remarkable new Hybrid Tea Rose is one that will create a sensation wherever grown. The flowers are simply immense in size, a beautiful, clear white or tinted lemon, with the color running to a beautiful shade of orange in the center. Buds are magnificent in formation and color. Flowers produced on long, stiff stems and excellent for cutting. Always blooming. One of the best. **First size, 25c each, postpaid; strong two-year-old plants 50c each.**

***SENATEUR MASCURAND**—An amber yellow Hybrid Tea Rose, the center of the bloom resembling the color of the yolk of an egg, toning to high sulphur yellow. Large, full, globular blooms. A strong, healthy grower and very free bloomer. Blooms of large, perfect shape. Perfectly hardy. A Rose soon one of the most popular yellow Roses grown. **Strong young plants, on own roots, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 60c each.**

***METEOR**—Very few dark Roses compare with this in richness and depth of color, which is a rich, velvety crimson, shading very dark in the depths of the petals. The buds and flowers are remarkably large and of elegant form, full and double. As a garden Rose it has few equals, being particularly valuable for bedding on account of its sturdy growth and handsome foliage. It is also valuable for growing indoors in pots or in the conservatory, and is constantly in bloom.

MRS. DUDLEY CROSS—In color, a pale chamois, or light yellow faintly flushed with rose; in strength, hardiness and vigor of growth not surpassed by any known Rose, and growing to perfection in the garden. The flowers are of splendid substance, borne continuously on long, stiff stems, and for cutting it is most valuable. Bears its handsome flowers in great profusion all summer through.

***MAD. SCHWALLER**—A beautiful combination of salmon-rose with edges of the petals touched with violet carmine. One of the most fragrant of all Roses. Strong grower, forming a handsome bush, and constantly in bloom.



The Lovely Rena Robbins.

Beautiful La France Roses

Of all the Hybrid Teas there are none which excel the La France Roses in all the good points necessary to a good Rose. Practically hardy everywhere, they are splendidly adapted for general planting and each of them deserves a place in every flower garden in America.

***PINK LA FRANCE**—Exceedingly sweet and handsome; flowers and buds large size, color lovely shade of silvery pink, tinged with crimson; fragrance delicious; flowers very full and beautiful. It commences to bloom soon after planting and continues until frost; hardy with protection.

***WHITE LA FRANCE (Augustine Guinoisseau)**—A pure white member of the La France family, having just a tinge of rose-blush tint, which grows stronger in the depths of the petals.

RED LA FRANCE (Duchess of Albany)—A superb Rose; resembles the Pink La France, but is much deeper in color.

***YELLOW LA FRANCE (Mad. Pernet Ducher)**—One of the best of the newer French Roses of its color; very pretty flower, semi-double. Bright canary-yellow.

***STRIPED LA FRANCE**—This Rose is almost exactly the same as Pink La France, except in color, which is bright satiny pink distinctly striped with bright rose.

Price—All Roses on this page, except where noted, first size plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger size, 30c each, 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 45c each, by express; \$4.50 per dozen of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or Star size, 75c each.

Special Offer We will send one each of the Pink, White, Striped, Red and Yellow La France Roses for 75c, postpaid; larger size, one plant each, for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, five in all, by express for \$1.75.

HYBRID TEAS—Continued.

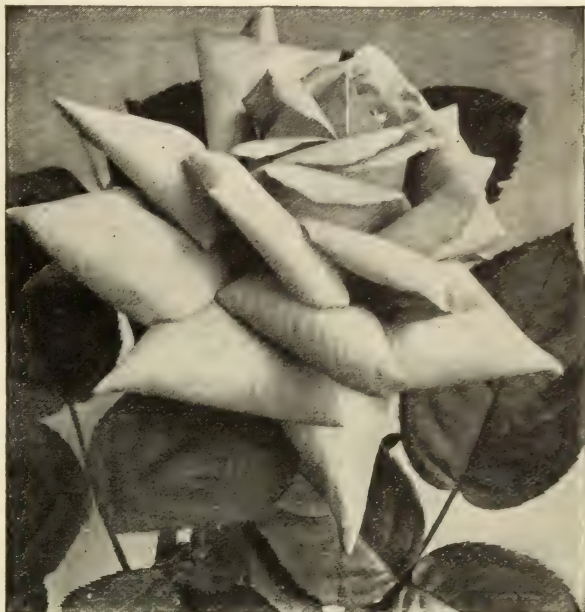
*Mme. Melanie Soupert

The flowers are bright golden-yellow suffused with faint tinges of pink, with a handsome and distinct form, making a Rose of great beauty. It is a strong, vigorous grower, very hardy, and forms a handsome bush in the garden. Fine large blooms of perfectly double formation.

MRS. CHARLES DINGEE—The color is a pure golden yellow, and the form of the flower is magnificent. This is a **Rose among Roses**, and its introduction marks an important epoch in the Rose world.

MRS. A. R. WADDELL—This is one of the most beautiful Hybrid Tea Roses in bud and flower of any grown. The flowers are of the largest size, of perfect form, and possessing wonderful keeping qualities. The coloring is most brilliant in effect, being rosy-scarlet, opening rosy-salmon, with reverse of petals rosy-scarlet. The bush is a sturdy, erect and vigorous grower, requiring but little care.

***LADY ASHTOWN**—Similar to Mad. Caroline Testout, but superior in growth, freedom of bloom and color. Splendid grower, soon producing a large, strong bush, continually loaded with blooms of exquisite color and shape. Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stiff stems. The illustration was made from a photograph of the Rose as grown here by us, and shows the true formation of the bloom. Color is a soft, solid carmine-pink of a most pleasing shade. A good Rose for any purpose.



Rose, Mme. Melanie Soupert.

*Wellesley

A most magnificent garden Rose of a beautiful shade of pink, vigorous, healthy grower; remarkably free flowering, with fine keeping qualities; most valuable Rose for gardens, as it is particularly adapted for outdoor culture. Blooms profusely on long, stiff stems.

MRS. HERBERT STEVENS—A new hardy Tea Rose of extraordinary merit. The bloom is as long, and even more pointed than the Maman Cochet, being faultless in shape and form. Color white, with a distinct fawn and peach shading toward the center. Perfectly hardy in all localities, and the extraordinary blooming quality of this Rose, being practically always in bloom.

***MARY COUNTESS OF ILCHESTER**—A strong, vigorous Hybrid Tea. Color warm crimson-carmine, a color almost indescribable. Flowers produced on long, upright stems, of immense size, with large, smooth, circular petals. The foliage is attractive and handsome, a deep green. Very highly scented.

***NATALIE BOTTNER**—New yellow Hybrid Tea. Blooms of bright lemon yellow, borne on long, stiff stems, very vigorous and free blooming. Blooms resemble the famous Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, and if you will imagine a bloom of this size, only being lemon-yellow, it is bound to become one of the most popular yellow Hybrid Tea Roses in existence. Perfectly hardy.



Wellesley.

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HYBRID TEAS—
Continued.

* Rhea Reid

A Magnificent New Crimson Garden Rose.

(Note Illustration on Front Cover).

"As large as American Beauty, as double as La France and as red as Richmond," is the enthusiastic way the originator describes this beautiful new Hybrid Tea Bush Rose. The color is vivid scarlet-crimson, and the flowers are marvels of beauty, larger, bold and of splendid substance. It has a strong, disease-resisting constitution, makes a rapid growth and throws up a profusion of canes from the roots and is always blooming. As an all-around garden bush Rose it has no superior.

***MAGNAFRANO**—One of the grandest Roses in cultivation. The flowers are very large, full, deep and double, and of delightful fragrance. The color of this magnificent Rose is bright, shining rose, with rich shadings of deeper tones. It forms a strong, sturdy, upright bush, bearing its gorgeous flowers on long, stiff stems, making it especially valuable for cutting.

***VIRGINIA R. COXE**—For intense and dazzling color there is no other Rose to compare with this splendid kind. The flowers are large and handsome, moderately double, of splendid substance, and are produced in amazing profusion during the whole growing season; in fact, it is always in bloom. The color is a fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvety sheen, a combination found in no other Rose. The fragrance of Virginia R. Coxse Rose is unexcelled by that of any other variety under cultivation. It is a strong and sturdy grower, often attaining a height of four to five feet, is perfectly hardy in all sections and is one of the finest of many splendid Roses that have come to us from Europe.

***COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON**—Large, fragrant flowers of an exquisite shade of soft, rich carmine; blooms large and well formed, with high pointed center, on long, stiff stems. Petals crinkled, on the order of a Zinnia. Tall grower. Hardy in all localities, and strong, robust grower, soon producing a handsome bush. Blooms all summer. A valuable addition to the Rose garden.

Rhea Reid

* Radiance

A glorious new extra hardy Hybrid Tea Rose which originated within a few miles of West Grove. Awarded Silver Medal by the American Rose Society as the best bedding Rose at the Hartford, Conn., gardens the past season. The flowers are a beautiful blending of shades of carmine-rose, with opal and coppery reflections. It is of splendid, sturdy growth, constantly in bloom, and is bound to become one of the leading garden Roses. We cannot say too much in its praise.

***TRIUMPH DE PERNET PERE**—A French Rose, originated by Jean Pernet, of France. Flowers large, with broad, thick petals, and long pointed buds. Delicious Tea fragrance. Clear magenta-red, passing to bright crimson.

PRIMA DONNA—A Hybrid Tea. Claimed to be one of the strongest growing Hybrid Tea Roses in cultivation, and as free a bloomer as Killarney. Color a deep rose-pink, petals waved or undulated on the edges, giving it an elegance of form seen in no other Rose. Good for forcing or outdoor growing. Strong first size plants, 30c each; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on their own roots.

LADY JOY—A glorious crimson Rose, as large as American Beauty, very double and deliciously fragrant. The bush is strong, sturdy and everblooming, with extra large, handsome foliage.

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Radiance.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

The Lovely Killarney Roses

* White Killarney

An offspring of the Pink Killarney and is one of the most exquisite white Roses grown. The long, full buds are handsome in shape and the full-open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture. Strong plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 50c each.

* Pink Killarney

The Famous Irish Rose.

This queen of the Irish Roses excels any other of its class yet introduced, and by many is recognized as the most beautiful, hardy, everblooming Hybrid Tea Rose now under culture. Each season since it was introduced Killarney has increased in popularity, and the demand has always exceeded the supply. We have an immense quantity, however, and guarantee every plant to be true to name. The bush is strong and upright, with beautiful, deep bronzy green foliage, and the Rose is entirely free-blooming, bearing immense, long pointed buds and massive flowers on big, heavy shoots. The color is deep, brilliant and sparkling shell-pink of the most exquisite shade. The flowers are of delightful fragrance, immense size, and have thick petals of great substance. Killarney is usually hardy and without protection has stood severe winters as far north as Boston. Strong, one-year-old plants, 20c each, 3 for 50c; extra strong two-year-old plants, on own roots, 50c each.

* Yellow Killarney

Mme. Jenny Gillemot.

A brilliant saffron-yellow Rose, opening canary with dark golden shades. The buds are long and pointed, beautiful in form and color, the flowers are large with immense petals. Hardy and vigorous; it is in constant bloom all summer. Blooms produced on long, stiff stems, making an excellent Rose for cutting. Owing to its resemblance to the Killarneys, we have called it the Yellow Killarney, as it makes a good companion for them. 20c each; 3 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 45c each.

DO YOU KNOW HOW A ROSE BUSH IS MADE?—Roses that are grown on their own roots, and they are the only ones that are worth planting, are made from branches of the mother plant. These branches are cut in lengths according to the eyes thereon. In order to increase the production these cuttings are frequently made with only one eye, which makes a small and weak plant. Where two eyes are taken the plant is twice as large and of twice as much vitality and blooming quality. So in buying plants remember our plants are made from these strong two-eyed cuttings and are worth much more than those weak one-eyed plants offered by many at cheap rates.

Special Offer One each of these Killarneys, 3 in all, first size plants, sent postpaid for 50c; 3 of larger size for 75c postpaid. One of each, 3 in all, two-year-old plants, sent by express, for \$1.35. Still larger Specimen or Star size, 75c each, or the three Killarneys for \$2.00.



The Killarney Roses are Magnificent Bloomers.

HYBRID TEAS—Continued.

* Jonkheer J. L. Mock

A Hybrid Tea called the Giant Pink from Holland, owing to the enormous blooms it produces. Of distinctive merit, being an extremely strong, rank grower, one of the strongest of the Hybrid Tea class, blooming as it does with the greatest freedom, the buds carried on long, stiff, erect stems, of the very largest size imaginable in a Rose bloom, and will retain its perfect formation. Very fragrant. Color, clear imperial pink on the order of the **La France**. This Rose has produced a sensation wherever grown. We offer strong plants, on their own roots.

MRS. AARON WARD—One of the newest of all Yellow Hybrid Tea Roses, and distinctly beautiful in form and color. The color ranges from coppery orange in the opening bud, changing to golden orange, and when the flower is fully open it is a lovely shade of pinkish fawn. Most vigorous in growth, every shoot producing a flower and clothed with dark, glossy green foliage, maroon on under side. It is one of the best of the new yellow Roses, and bound to become very popular. **First size, 25c each, 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; strong two-year-old plants, 50c each.**

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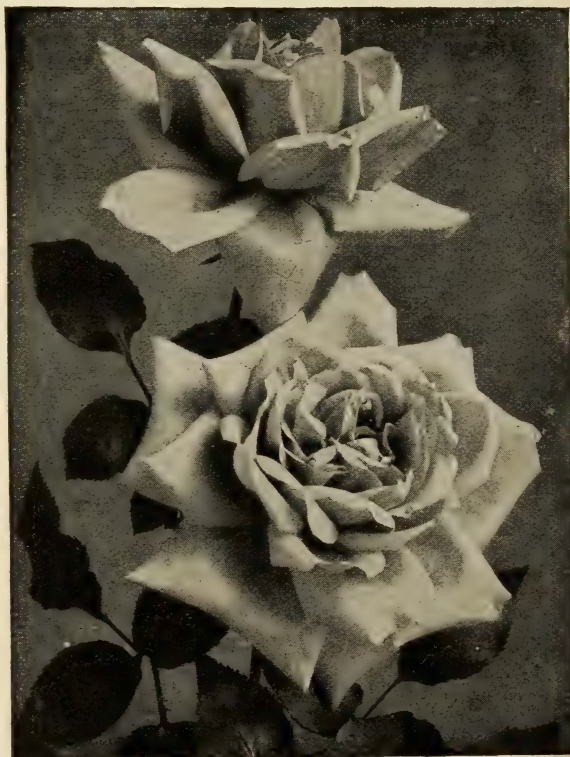
Jonkheer J. L. Mock.

* Mad. Abel Chatenay

Grand New Perpetual-Blooming Rose.

This splendid Rose is one of the very best of its color—rosy-carminé, with darker shade. It does remarkably well in the open ground, has wonderfully beautiful flowers, which are full, deep and double. A very hardy Rose, Chatenay is a strong grower and free bloomer and has won friends wherever it has been planted. We have a large stock of superior quality, and urgently recommend all our customers to include Mad. Abel Chatenay in their Rose orders for this spring.

***SUNBURST**—A magnificent giant yellow forcing Rose, also well adapted for outdoor growing, being a vigorous and healthy Rose. Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stout stems, opening full and double. An excellent cut flower variety, having excellent keeping qualities. A very vigorous grower, reddish bronze foliage. The color is superb orange copper or golden orange, with a deep orange center. This Rose creates a sensation wherever grown. Strong, vigorous pot-plants on their own roots, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 50c each.



Mad. Abel Chatenay.

WE ARE NOT JOBBERS, but Growers, and produce 98 per cent of the Roses offered and on their own roots. Do you know how a Rose bush is made?—Probably you have not given the matter any thought. Roses that are grown on their own roots, and they are the only ones that are worth planting, are made from branches of the mother plant. These branches are cut into lengths according to the eyes thereon. In order to increase the production these cuttings are frequently made with only one eye, which makes a small, weak plant. Where two eyes are taken the plant is twice as large and of twice as much vitality and blooming quality. So in buying plants remember our plants are made from these strong two-eyed cuttings and are worth much more than those weak one-eyed plants offered by many at cheap rates.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

* **Richmond**

A Gorgeous Crimson Rose.

The most gorgeous Rose we have ever seen—no other variety can compare with it. In form and fragrance of flower it is simply superb. Wonderfully free blooming, its immense fragrant, scarlet-crimson flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, making it a rival of American Beauty, and even more dazzling in appearance. Considered the standard deep crimson Rose in the florists' shops, selling at all times for high prices. In the garden its flowers are as fine as those found in the greenhouses. Perfectly hardy.

MEVROUW DORA VAN TETS—Hybrid Tea. A new Rose of great merit. Color deep glowing crimson, with velvety shading. A vigorous grower and bloomer. Awarded a gold medal by the Holland Rose Society. Price, one-year-old plants, 30c each; larger size, 40c each; two-year-old plants, 60c.

MAD. CAROLINE TESTOUT—This is the Rose which grows so luxuriantly in the far West that it has been adopted by the State of Oregon as its State flower. The gardens of the cities along the Pacific Coast are the wonder of the world by the profusion of the bloom of this remarkable Rose. In color, it is of a satiny rose, deepening to clear red in the center. Thoroughly hardy in every respect, it is one of the very best Roses for outdoor culture.

Our Rose plants are grown in large pots or crocks, which enables you to plant them safely any time during the growing season. Not like the usual nursery stock which is sent you with dry roots, and ten chances to one that they grow. Ours are shipped with the earth attached to the roots, and no risk in planting. We guarantee to deliver them in good growing conditions. Few give you such a guarantee.



Mad. Jules Grolez.



Richmond.

* **Mad. Jules Grolez**

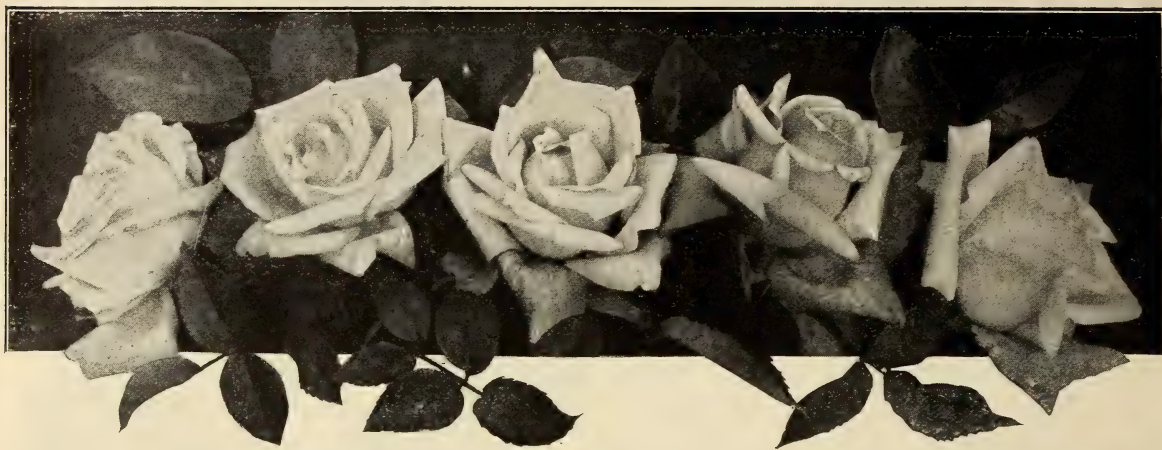
Red Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.

This Rose has been thoroughly tested by us and we have formed such a high opinion of it that we have grown an unusually large stock in order to meet the great demand there will be for it. This magnificent Rose is exceedingly free blooming, with very large, finely formed flowers. The color is a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. The fine form and attractive shape of the flowers makes them excellent for cutting. It is a remarkably strong-growing variety, as hardy as the Hybrid Perpetuals, free blooming and in every way a splendid garden Rose.

MADAM BERTHE FONTAINE—Bright rose, large, half-filled and fragrant flowers.

LIBERTY—Magnificently formed flowers, full, deep and double, fragrant and pleasing. Deep crimson-scarlet.

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Hardy Everblooming Tea Roses

Tea Roses form the foundation of nearly all the great Roses of today. Without them, the lovely Hybrid Tea class would be impossible. They are among the oldest and most highly cherished of all Roses. They have made the Rose-gardens of America what they are. Their place and value is everlasting. Rugged, healthy and hardy in growth, free blooming (they bloom all the time), their flowers are chaste and beautiful. You cannot well do without them. They thrive gloriously in all sections of the country.

Their ease of propagation has, unfortunately, caused them to be produced by some growers in enormous quantities to meet a certain demand for "Cheap Roses," and these so-called cheap Roses have brought untold disappointment to all who have planted them, and have discredited the business of every first-class Rose dealer. Don't be misled into buying the cheap, "one-eyed," "thumb-pot" Rose plants made to sell at popular prices. **Plant good Roses**, grown by a firm with a reputation to sustain. Pay a fair price for first-class goods, with a guarantee back of them—the **West Grove kind**—and you will soon become a Rose enthusiast. Ours is the greatest collection of **own-root Roses** in the world. This collection of hardy, everblooming Tea Roses is the very life of our immense list. To the beginner—the novice in Rose culture—the great number of varieties may be confusing, but to eliminate a single one, however, would do a distinct injustice to the introducer and to our collection, for each variety has its own particular charm and merit. If you find it difficult to make a choice, leave the selection to us.

Prices of all Hardy, Everblooming Tea Roses, except where noted, 15c each; 4 for 50c; larger size, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 35c each, by express; \$3.50 per doz. of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger Specimen or Star size, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen.

* The Bride

There is no other white Rose more satisfactory than The Bride. When planted in the open ground, the flowers are sometimes found to be delicately tinted with pink, making it exceedingly attractive. The buds and flowers are unusually large, well-formed and deliciously perfumed.

***BLUMENSCHMIDT**—A splendid bedding Rose of the Cochet type, glowing all summer with its wealth of citron-yellow flowers, each petal of which is edged with dainty rose. The individual flowers are large and well-formed, resembling in many ways some of the handsomest Tea Roses.

BOUGERE—This is a fine variety for open-ground culture. Large, full and double flowers supported on long, stiff stems and produced in great abundance all through the growing season; color bronze-rose or violet-crimson, shaded with lilac.

MARION DINGEE—The darkest, richest colored Tea Rose known. Large finely formed flowers are borne in constant profusion throughout the season. Color deep, brilliant crimson.

* Bridesmaid

This variety is valuable for cutting and does finely in the open ground; a sport from the old and popular pink Tea, Catherine Mermet, but of a fine, clear, dark pink, much deeper and more constant in color than Mermet.

BOADICEA—Fine, large, double, rose-pink flowers, produced in wonderful profusion on good, stiff stems; buds long and pointed.

***DUCHESS DE BRABANT**—A very vigorous and healthy variety, producing large blossoms which are beautiful in buds or open flower. The color is a fine shade of soft, rosy pink, which deepens to bright rose. A special favorite.

VIRGINIA—This splendid Rose is the result of a cross between Safrano and Marchal Niel. It is a constant bloomer and of vigorous growth, bearing flowers which are well-formed, large and double. The color is a light yellow, tinged with saffron at the center; very delicately and delightfully perfumed.



Bon Silene and Etoile de Lyon.

* Etoile de Lyon

It is of vigorous, sturdy growth, and seems able to resist heat and cold equally well. It blooms freely, producing beautifully formed flowers of a rich, golden yellow. A great favorite everywhere.

MAD. HOSTE—The color of this variety is soft, light canary-yellow, deepening in the center to pure golden-yellow, beautifully flushed with pale amber. Edge and reverse of petals creamy white.

DEVONIENSIS (The Charming Magnolia Rose)—This is an old favorite among Rose lovers. Planted outdoors, it produces an abundance of large, very full and double flowers all through the season. The color is creamy white, with rosy centers, and very fragrant. This is one of the Roses that should be seen in every garden; as the bush grows to large size it is continually in bloom.

**HARDY EVERBLOOMING
TEA ROSES—Continued.**

* Bon Silene

A Grand Old Rose.

No new variety has superseded this Rose since its introduction in 1839. The color is deep rose, changing to pale light rose. This variety cannot be surpassed for bouquets and decorative purposes. In the open ground it grows to perfection, producing large crops of beautiful flowers from early spring until late autumn. One of the favorites of the old-time gardens.

***ALINE SISLEY**—One of the best. Rich shade of violet-red, brightened with crimson-maroon; flowers large, full and double; fragrance very sweet. A splendid, free-flowering, dark-colored Tea which always gives pleasing results.

ANDREW SCHWARTZ (Everblooming Jack)—The flowers are large and of excellent substance. Color brilliant scarlet, changing to rich crimson. It is a strong, sturdy grower, and known as the **True Tea Jacqueminot** because of its resemblance to that famous variety.

FRANCES E. WILLARD—It is of strong, vigorous growth, everblooming, producing snow-white buds; large flowers of perfect form; very fragrant. The bush is of splendid shape; and in continuous bloom all summer.

***ENFANT DE LYON (The Sweet Anise Rose)**—In color the flowers are a beautiful creamy rose, delicately shaded with coppery yellow, and very fragrant. The flowers are much admired for their color and the distinct Anise fragrance.

CATHERINE MERMET—One of the best varieties of Tea Roses. A very free bloomer, producing clear, shining pink flowers, the center being shaded with fawn and amber. Is a good Rose for open ground culture and forcing under glass.

ENCHANTRESS—A free bloomer, bearing immense globular flowers in large clusters; a vigorous grower. Color creamy white, tinged with buff in center. Splendid in pots for late autumn and winter blooming, as well as for planting in the open ground during the summer.

MADAME JOSEPH SCHWARTZ—Flowers pure white, tinged and shaded with pale yellow and rosy blush; very full and sweet.

MME. JEAN SISLEY—This is a fine variety for cemetery planting, being full and double, and in color pure white. Of great vigor and hardiness.

MADAME HONORE DEFRESNE—This splendid variety is noted for its pure golden yellow flowers, which are large, full and double.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 30, 1916.

Gentlemen:—

I received my Roses and am very much pleased with them. They certainly are fine plants. I planted them the same evening they arrived, and you would not believe to see them now, only after two days, that they had been shipped from another State, as some of them are ready to bloom. Accept my thanks for the extra Rose. It is very pretty.

Respectfully, LOUISE ROSEMAN.

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HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Golden Gate

The White House Rose.

This magnificent Rose has been freely used in the decorations at the White House; hence its name. It is immense in size, finely formed, with long and beautiful buds. Color, rich, creamy white, shaded with a golden yellow and clear rose, of indescribable beauty.

BURBANK—A rival of Champion of the World, bearing a great profusion of large crimson flowers; very fragrant.

E. T. COOK—Pale primrose yellow, suffused with pink, as the flower expands. Large and full petals reflex at the edges.

CORNELIA COOK—Of rapid growth, with splendid foliage that rarely suffers from the attacks of insects. The flowers are borne in great profusion and are very desirable. The color is pure creamy-white, tinged with lemon and blush.

THE QUEEN—Of vigorous and healthy growth, sweetly scented. A constant bloomer, producing profuse crops of buds and flowers; the buds are well-shaped, with large petals of best substance. White.

***COQUETTE DE LYON**—This is one of the best yellow Tea Roses for open ground culture. The flowers are extra large, deep and double; color pure canary-yellow. Unlike other yellow Roses, it is a strong, vigorous grower, a constant and steady bloomer. Very desirable.

Isabella Sprunt.

*Isabella Sprunt

This golden yellow Rose has been known as a favorite for over twenty years. It is a free bloomer, producing flowers of bright canary-yellow, very sweetly scented. The buds are very desirable for cut flowers.

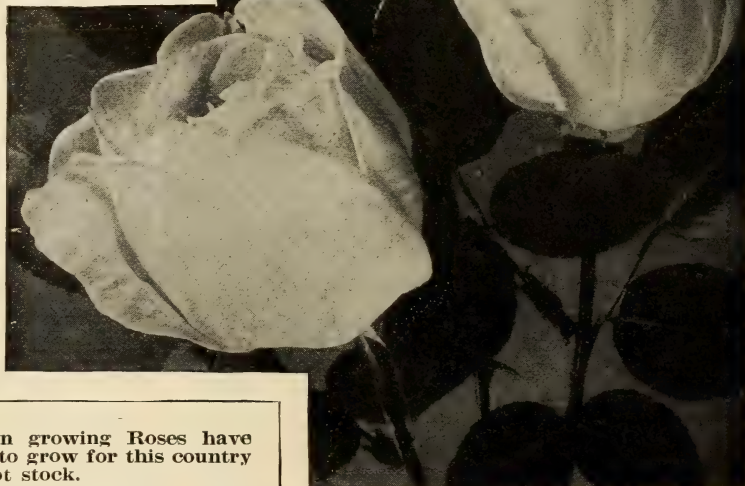
HENRY M. STANLEY—A remarkable shade of clear amber-rose, delicately tinged with fine apricot-yellow, with petals edged and bordered with rich carmine, which, on the outer or reverse side, passes to a lovely shade of salmon or buff-rose. Plant is extra strong and vigorous.

HIGHLAND MARY—Each petal white, tinged with lemon, and bordered with a delicate band of pink. Hardy everywhere, with ordinary protection.

J. B. VARONNE—Strong and vigorous grower, producing extra large, vase-shaped flowers, both full and double. Splendid pointed buds. The color is a very rich and bright scarlet-crimson.

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Golden Gate Roses.

Sixty-six years of experience in growing Roses have demonstrated to us the right kind to grow for this country and the average person. Own root stock.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Marie Guillot

The Queen of White Roses.

We recommend it as one of the most reliable white Tea Roses in cultivation, especially for outdoor culture. The color is pure white, sometimes faintly tinged pale yellow. The flowers are beautifully made, very large, full and double; the buds are very pretty, of sweet fragrance. Anyone who has not seen this splendid variety growing at its best in the open ground cannot conceive of its large, bold, handsome flowers.

GENERAL DE TARTAS—This Rose has no superior for bedding purposes, producing large-sized flowers which are full and fragrant. It is of good habit, and an excellent Rose in every way. The color is a brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet-purple, oftentimes tinged with buff.

***FREIHERR VON MARSCHALL**—As an outdoor Rose it has no superior. It has wonderfully beautiful foliage and produces large, full, beautifully shaped flowers, which are borne in profusion all through the season. The color is bright red, one of the best red Tea Roses that is known.

HELEN GOOD—Valuable for garden culture. The color is pale yellow, mixed with pink, each petal edged deeper. Very pure and beautiful.

MADAME DE VATRY—The flowers are a rich crimson-scarlet, bright and beautiful. Of good form, both in bud and flower, and well-scented. A choice Rose.



Marie Guillot.

*Marie Van Houtte

It is a strong and sturdy grower, blooming constantly, with great freedom. The color of the flowers, which are large, full and double, is pale canary-yellow, passing to rich, creamy white, shaded with pale rose.

PRINCESS ETIENNE DE CROY—Color of flower peach-carmine, shaded lighter on pale orange ground.

***MADAM HEINTZ**—Lovely double saffron-yellow flowers, slightly shaded with carmine. Very free flowering; blooms can be cut almost daily during the growing season. A very vigorous grower and hardy.

***MRS. B. R. CANT**—This new Rose is an extremely strong-growing variety, producing heavy stems, with large, healthy foliage and flowers almost the equal and style of Helen Gould, but more double; deep rose, with silvery rose center. A bright, clear garden Rose, and a prolific bloomer, especially good for outdoor cultivation. Delightfully fragrant.

LADY MARY CORRY—A profuse bloomer, bearing deep, golden yellow flowers of fine size.

LA PRINCESS VERA—The flowers open beautifully, are large and perfectly formed. The color is rich ivory-white, veined with coppery-yellow, and penciled with pale blush. This is a fine Rose for bedding in the open ground.



Marie Van Houtte.

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Lady Hillingdon.

* **Safrano**

Valued very highly for its beautiful buds and handsome flowers. The color is a bright apricot-yellow, passing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted with rose. A splendid old-time Rose that has never been replaced by any new-comer of its class or color. It is a variety especially adapted to outdoor planting; vigorous, healthy; blooms all summer.

MADAME LAMBARD—Color a magnificent shade of rosy-bronze, changing to salmon and fawn, tinted with carmine.

MAD. DE WATTEVILLE—The Tulip Rose. The color is a magnificent shade of creamy-yellow, richly colored with rosy-blush; the large petals are bordered with bright crimson, giving it a very striking and beautiful appearance.

MADAME ELIE LAMBERT—Color a rich creamy white, faintly tinted with rich golden-yellow, and is exquisitely bordered and tinted with soft rosy flesh; very beautiful and sweet.

MADAME MARGOTTIN—This large and perfectly double Rose is considered a great favorite. The color of the flowers, which are very fragrant, is dark citron-yellow, with apricot shading and red center; a strong grower and profuse bloomer.

NIPHETOS—This variety is always scarce. In color it is snow-white, sometimes very faintly tinted with pale yellow.

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HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

* **Lady Hillingdon**

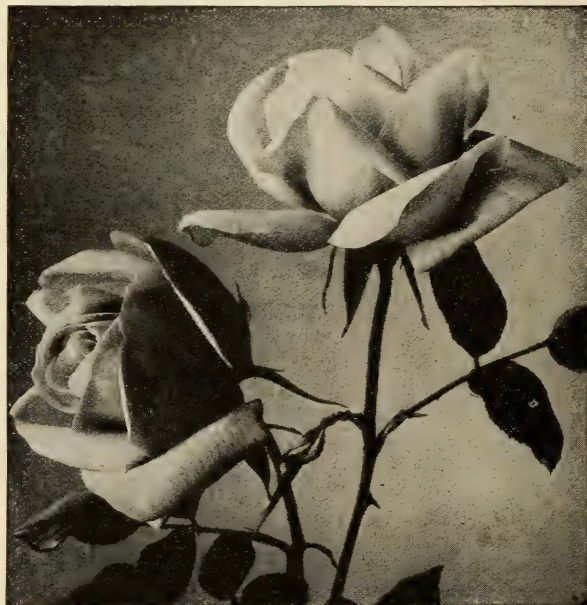
Apricot yellow shaded to orange on the outer edge of the petal, becoming deeper and more intense toward the center of the bloom. The color does not fade after the bloom is cut, but invariably becomes darker. Buds are produced on long, strong, wiry stems, well above the foliage, producing a slender and graceful effect. A strong, hearty, healthful grower. Price, 20c each, first size plants, 6 for \$1.00; larger size, 30c, 4 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen, by express.

***MARIE LAMBERT**, or **SNOWFLAKE** — Large, double, creamy-white flowers are produced in marvelous profusion. We consider this one of the best and freest-blooming Roses, and recommend it particularly for outdoor planting. It is unusually hardy, and grows very vigorously. The foliage is very substantial, of attractive dark green color and practically free from disease. An excellent variety in every respect.

SOUV. DE JEANNE CABAUD—A very free bloomer, producing large, full and double flowers, the color of which is almost impossible to describe; the outer petals are coppery-yellow, with apricot and carmine in the center.

SOUV. DE J. B. GUILLOT—This is a new variety and the only Rose of its color, which is nasturtium-red, shaded to crimson, varying to bright, coppery-red.

Our Roses are grown in large pots or crocks, which enable you to plant them safely any time during the growing season. Not like the usual nursery stock which is sent you with dry roots, and ten chances to one that they grow. Ours are shipped with the earth attached to the roots, and no risk in planting. We guarantee to deliver them in good growing condition. Few give you such a guarantee.



Safrano.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

*** Papa Gontier**

A strong, vigorous grower and constant bloomer; one of the very best and most valuable, both for open ground and greenhouse; color rich cherry-red, passing to clear, glowing crimson. One of the best for all purposes, with immense buds and magnificent flowers.

***MAD. FRANCISKA KRUGER**—Of strong and vigorous growth, and a constant bloomer, which is especially suited to bedding or massing. The flowers are deeply shaded coppery yellow in color, and are of large size.

SUNRISE ROSE—A strong grower, free bloomer, and in every way a desirable Rose. The color is absolutely new, the buds showing high, brilliant scarlet and yellow, blending to orange and copper; inside of petals golden-yellow.

UNCLE JOHN—An offspring of Golden Gate, from which it differs in color, which is much more intense. Well worth a trial.

MURIEL GRAHAM—The flower is a delicate cream, faintly blushed rose; almost a yellow Mermet.

SUNSET ROSE—One of the finest of all Yellow Roses. A strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer, highly recommended both for open ground and house culture, which makes it more desirable. The flowers and buds are of extra large size, very full and finely formed and highly perfumed. Color, rich golden amber or gold, elegantly shaded with dark ruby-crimson, resembling the beautiful tints seen in a summer sunset. Strong, first size plants, 20c each; larger size, 30c each; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express.

WHITE GOLDEN GATE—Identical with its parent variety, Golden Gate, except in color, which is ivory-white. Buds are of elegant shape, long and pointed; flowers full and double, with substantial petals.

***MADAME CAMILLE**—The color is a pale rosy flush, shaded with salmon and lavender.

***SOUVENIR DE FRANCOIS GAULAIN**—The color is unusually bright, and quite remarkable for a Tea Rose—rich, velvety crimson; the flowers are very fragrant, large, full and very double, possessing a depth that makes their color all the more attractive; quite hardy, healthy and strong. A Rose of great value to the home-grower. The strong, healthy plants are quite hardy.

PRINCESS BONNIE—The brightest, sweetest and freest-blooming Rose in existence. Color solid crimson, deeper and more vivid than "Jack." Fragrance far sweeter than La France. Always blooming.

PERLE DES JARDINS (Pearl of the Garden)—The color is a clear golden yellow, of a beautiful shade, and is entirely distinct from any other variety; the flowers are large, full, of globular form, with great depth and substance, richly perfumed, and very beautiful in every way. This magnificent Rose still holds its position as one of the most exquisite and beautiful of its color ever introduced, and the demand for it is constantly increasing as its great value becomes known. It is ideal for cutting purposes. A particularly fine garden Rose, being strong and thrifty.

***WHITE BOUGERE**—There is no Rose which exceeds this one for open-ground culture. The pure ivory-white flowers are unusually large, deep, full and double, borne on long, stiff stems throughout the season in great profusion.



Papa Gontier.

***SOUV. DE PIERRE NOTTING**—This beautiful Rose is an introduction of one of the largest firms of France, and has not been exceeded by any Rose from that country. It is of strong, bushy habit, and has won numerous gold medals and awards of merit. The flowers are very large, well filled and open easily; color apricot-yellow, edge of petal shaded carmine-rose. In form and beauty it is the equal of Maman Cochet, and by many is regarded as the best all-round Rose in general cultivation. It is hardy and always in bloom. Strong, first size plants, 20c each; larger plants, 30c each; two-year-old plants, 40c, by express.

MADAME PIERRE GUILLOT—This is a very remarkable and exceedingly handsome variety. Color delicate orange-yellow, veined and bordered with clear pink.

BERYL—Large, full and fragrant; color deep apricot or coppery-yellow. The flowers and foliage present a fine contrast.

MADAME WELCHE—Color, a magnificent shade of amber-yellow, deepening toward the center to orange or coppery yellow, delicately clouded with pale crimson.

MAD. E. DURATHON—The color is citron-yellow, with bright red center, delicately blended.

MADAME JOSEPH SCHWARTZ—Flowers pure white, tinged and shaded with pale yellow and rosy blush; very full and sweet.

Price, 15c each for all Roses on this page, 50c for any 4; \$1.00 for any 9; larger size, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 35c each, by express; \$3.50 per doz. of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * in large Specimen plants, 75c each.

The Famous Soupert Roses

ALWAYS BLOOMING



Bed of Soupert Roses.

"Sturdy as Oak" Rugosas

For years we have advocated the planting of this class of new and rare Roses, which are now becoming so popular. They can be used in so many ways that they are almost indispensable. They make sturdy, compact bushes, four to six feet high, which are very ornamental, owing to their dark, shiny, rich green, wrinkled, leathery foliage. Free from insects and disease, thrive under almost any condition and hardy as an oak. Also excellent for hedges or cemetery planting. Some bloom all summer, but all produce in the fall the beautiful orange-red or crimson seed pods.

***SIR THOMAS LIPTON**—The best pure white Rugosa Rose. Strong and vigorous; grow 4 feet high. Flowers perfectly double, pure snow white. Fragrant, borne on long stems throughout the season. Hardy. Fine for hedging, cemetery and park.

***CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER**—Strong grower; perfectly hardy; flowers very large; well filled. Silvery rose. Very fragrant.

ROSA RUGOSA RUBRA—The popular hedging Rose. Crimson flowers are large and single, followed by glossy red berries.

ROSA RUGOSA ALBA—Identical with the preceding, but the flowers are white and produce yellow berries. Price of Rubra and Alba, 15c each; 4 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 35c each, \$3.50 per dozen.

***NEW CENTURY**—Bright rosy pink, with red center, with petals widely bordered with creamy white.

MAD. GEORGES BRUANT—Buds are long and pointed; flowers glistening white and fragrant.

Price of Rugosas, except where noted, strong, one-year-old plants, 20c each, 3 for 50c; larger size, 30c each, 2 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, \$5.00 per doz. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size, 75c each.

These famous Roses will give absolute satisfaction to every purchaser. They bloom the first year and will be in bloom every year from early May until severe freezing weather. More than once we have seen them bloom in open ground after a severe snowstorm. There are no Roses like them; certainly none better. If you try them, take our word for it, you will not be disappointed.

Prices: Strong plants, 10c each, 6 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00, 25 for \$2.00; larger size, 15c each, 5 for 60c, 9 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 35c each, by express.

*Clotilde Soupert

Known the world over as one of the very best of all bedding Roses. A strong, dwarf grower and a truly wonderful bloomer, producing clusters after clusters of the finest formed flowers. Full and double, and deliciously sweet. The color effect is beautiful—ivory-white shading toward the center to silvery rose.

***RED SOUPERT (Ma Petite Andree)**—An unusually strong grower, dwarf and compact, producing large, full, double flowers in amazing profusion. Color brilliant crimson. This is the original variety, and it is still the first and best of its class.

***PINK SOUPERT**—Identical with Clotilde Soupert, except in color of flowers, which is clear, lively pink and at a distance resembles a Carnation. Has the same stocky, sturdy habit of growth, blooms as freely, with large, handsome flowers; same form as Clotilde Soupert.

YELLOW SOUPERT (Mosella)—The flowers are very double, and of the same camellia-like form as Clotilde Soupert, and are produced in immense clusters; buds exceedingly dainty. A strong, upright, bushy grower. Color white, on beautiful, light yellow ground; center chrome yellow.

WHITE SOUPERT (Clotilde Pfitzer)—The genuine White Soupert. Identical in every way with Clotilde Soupert, except in color, which is ivory-white. Free-blooming and hardy.

Special Offer of Soupert Roses

One each of the five beautiful Soupert Roses, one-year-old plants, five in all, 50c; larger size, five plants, 75c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, five in all, \$1.50, by express.

Moss Roses; The Old-time Favorites

Entirely hardy everywhere. Once planted are practically permanent. Flowers and buds have an abundance of lovely, deep green moss. Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 45c each; \$4.50 per dozen.

BLANCHE MOREAU—Flowers are produced in clusters, large, full and sweet; pure white; most beautifully mossed.

HENRI MARTIN—A splendid Moss Rose of a delightful pink in color, with the buds most beautifully mossed. The bush is extra hardy and profuse in bloom.

PRINCESS ADELAIDE—A most beautifully mossed Rose of an exquisite shade of pink. Hardy and vigorous in growth.

MOUSELINE—Pure white flower, heavily and beautifully mossed.



Bedding Effect of the Baby Ramblers.

Dwarf or Baby Rambler Roses

***THE FAMOUS CRIMSON BABY RAMBLER**—One of the most useful and ornamental Roses yet introduced. It blooms in immense clusters similar to Crimson Rambler, every day in the year, but grows only 20 inches high. Better than an Azalea, it is superb for single specimens, dwarf hedges and for bedding. The color is clear and brilliant ruby-red; foliage dark and glossy. Free from insects and absolutely hardy everywhere.

THE LOVELY ANNY MULLER—This Rose is very much the same as Crimson Baby Rambler, except in the color of the flowers, which are a shiny and brilliant pink, produced in the greatest profusion in large clusters. It is a splendid companion for the other excellent members of this family.

DOUBLE WHITE BABY RAMBLER—A most beautiful companion to the Crimson Baby Rambler, growing to the same height, and bearing great masses of double, pure white flowers, covering the plant as with a mantle. The Roses are delightfully scented, reminding one somewhat of a hyacinth.

BABY TAUSENDSCHON—A dwarf form of the Climbing Tausendschon or Thousand Beauties. It has all the characteristics of the climber in the charm of its flowers, but blooming the entire season. Flowers firm, white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine. 25c each; two-year-old plants, by express, 50c each.

JESSIE—Of all the "Baby Ramblers," this new variety bids fair to outstrip the others in popularity. The flowers are of a brilliant crimson, much the color of a Richmond Rose and are borne in huge clusters from early in the season until frost.

ORLEANS—The most attractive of all the Baby Rambler Roses. A very rapid grower, soon producing a bush resembling a huge bouquet of brilliant geranium-red flowers, suffused with rose, with a rosy-white center.

***YELLOW BABY RAMBLER**—Similar in habit of growth to the other Baby Ramblers, but of a lemon-yellow. Makes a beautiful contrast with the others.

MRS. TAFT—An improved Baby Rambler, clear red in color, does not fade like the Baby Rambler. Beautiful.

MRS. WM. CUTBUSH—Of dwarf growth, producing in constant profusion flowers of pale pink, borne in huge trusses throughout the entire summer and autumn. Hardy.

Price of all Baby Rambler Roses offered on this page, except where noted, 15c each for strong one-year pot plants; 4 for 50c; larger size, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or Star size Specimen plants, 75c each.

Everblooming Bourbon and China Roses

The Bourbon and China Roses are hardy in almost every section of the country, so we list them together. They are strong and vigorous growers, blooming freely and continuously. Roses of these classes will bloom freely the first year from young plants. They are splendid for autumn blooming, as they remain in flower until the approach of winter.

Prices of all these Roses offered on this page, except where noted, strong one-year-old plants, 15c each, 4 for 50c; \$1.00 for 9; larger size, 20c each, 3 for 50c, 7 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 35c each, by express. \$3.50 per doz.

HERMOSA—The favorite of the old-time gardens, and just as popular today; blooms in fine clusters; large, very double and fragrant; color beautiful clear rose; a constant bloomer; hardy. First size, 15c each, 4 for 50c; larger size, 25c each, two-year-old plants, 45c each.

Agrippina—Fiery red; double and sweet.

Appoline—Clear pink and rosy crimson.

Archduke Charles—Crimson-scarlet.

Beau Carmine—Fine carmine-red; very rich.

CHAMPION OF THE WORLD—A free-blooming, hardy Rose. Flowers of large size; color lovely clear, deep pink. 15c each, 4 for 50c, 9 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 40c each, 3 for \$1.00; strong, three-year-old plants, 75c each.

MME. EUGENE MARLITT—A most magnificent Rose of this type, of a brilliant shade of red. The bush is strong growing and lusty, fairly weighted down all summer with its profusion of bloom. First size, 20c each, 3 for 50c; larger size, 30c, 4 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 40c each; three- and four-year-old plants, 75c each.

QUEEN'S SCARLET—A constant and profuse bloomer, color, velvety scarlet; very brilliant and striking. A most brilliant and striking Rose which deserves general planting everywhere. Excellent Rose for bedding.

CRAMOISI SUPERIOR—Medium size, rich dark velvety crimson; very double, full and beautiful.

SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON—Blush-white shaded flesh.

The Favorites of Grandmother's Garden

The June Roses

There is little question that Hybrid Perpetual Roses, or "June Roses," as they are sometimes called, are the most valuable of all hardy plants.

They are of vigorous, upright growth, have large bold flowers, frequently measuring 5 to 6 inches in diameter, and are deliciously fragrant. These Roses will succeed in any locality and are so hardy that they will live through the severest winters with but a light protection of leaves or coarse manure. Some of the kinds do not bloom until the second year, but, when fully established, they all bloom freely at the usual time, early in the season. The Hybrid Perpetuals will stand hardship and neglect, but give much better results with good cultivation and rich soil. Always plant in open ground, as these Roses are not suitable for house culture. Our collection of Hybrid Perpetuals is by far the best in the country. The plants we send out are strong and hearty and on own roots.

* Mad. Alfred Carriere

Extra -large, full flowers; very double and sweet; rich creamy-white, faintly tinged with pale yellow.

***ANNA DE DIESBACH** (Glory of Paris) — Most lovely brilliant carmine; long, pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers; very full and double and delightfully sweet. A vigorous grower and fine bloomer.

GIANT OF BATTLES—A grand old favorite. One of the best, if not the best, hardy, vivid crimson Rose; large, very double and sweet.



Mad. Alfred Carriere.

* Paul Neyron

The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink; clear and beautiful; very double and full; finely scented; blooms the first season and all summer; no collection is complete without this variety.

LOUIS VAN HOUTTE—Brilliant vinous crimson; large, full and fragrant; an excellent sort and one that we recommend most highly. One of the most beautiful Roses we have ever seen.

***FRANCOIS LEVET**—One of the best and most satisfactory of all Hybrid Roses; we recommend it highly for general planting. An unusually vigorous grower, and free-blooming. Large, finely made flowers almost the size of Paul Neyron; cherry-pink, delicately shaded carmine and blush.

***GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**—Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers and is one of the best and most desirable Roses for open ground.

GENERAL WASHINGTON—Bright, shining crimson flowers, large and perfectly double; blooms the first season and almost constantly.

***EUGENE FURST**—Strong, vigorous grower, with thick, healthy foliage. Flowers beautiful, velvety crimson, shading to maroon. Highly scented with the same delightful perfume as some of the Tea Roses. In every way a most valuable Rose.

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Paul Neyron.

JUNE ROSES—Continued.

* **Boule de Neige**

A very hardy, pure white variety; medium size; very full, double flowers of delightful fragrance.

***COQUETTE DES BLANCHES**—Pure snowy white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale rose; blooms in large clusters; medium size, full and slightly fragrant.

DINSMORE—Popular for garden planting on account of its hardiness and vigor of growth; constant and profuse bloom, which begins soon after planting and continues all through the season. Flowers are large and perfectly double; color rich crimson-scarlet.

***PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN**—Celebrated the world over for its large, handsome, fragrant flowers, and the freedom with which they are produced. The color is a deep, rich velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon shaded black; at a short distance they appear really black.

CAPTAIN HAYWARD—Bright scarlet, very vivid in summer and glowing in autumn. Large, full and bold, the outer petals finely reflexed, while the center petals stand up well, making a flower of striking beauty. Perfectly hardy.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT—Velvety crimson, flushed with red. Flowers large, full and well formed. A vigorous grower.

BLACK PRINCE—Much sought after because of its dark crimson flowers which are shaded so deeply as to be almost black; cupped large, full, fine-shaped.



Boule de Neige.

* **Ulrich Brunner**

A great Rose, known to all planters as one of the best in this class. Immense, large, bold flowers, full and globular; rich, glowing crimson, elegantly flamed with scarlet. Hardy, unusually free bloomer. Highly fragrant.

***GLOIRE LYONNAISE**—Color, rich creamy white, passing when open, to a pale shade of salmon-yellow, deepest at the center. It is absolutely hardy everywhere, and we ask you to plant it freely. A constant source of delight. Blooms of immense size, full and double.

Special Offer of June Roses

For 50c we will send you postpaid by mail 5 of these Hardy June Roses, in strong, first size plants, known as the old favorites, as follows:

Anne de Diesbach
Boule de Nieve

Francis Levet
Paul Neyron
Mrs. Alfred Carriere

The 5 in two-year-old plants by express, all on own roots, for \$1.75. Order as "Grandmothers' Favorite" Collection.



Ulrich Brunner.

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Popular Hardy Climbing Roses

Hardy Climbing Roses have the popular call. They have become an absolute necessity for beautifying the home, for training over porches, verandas, trellises and pergolas, and they make the most beautiful flowering hedges when trained on low supports. Also when grown as individual specimen plants, as they soon form a beautiful bush more ornamental than many hardy shrubs. They can be kept trimmed into any shape or height desired, and thus make a large, hand-

*A Thousand Beauties

(German Tausendschoen)

The most sensational Climbing Rose yet introduced, not even barring Crimson Rambler. A single cluster is a bouquet in itself, hence the very fitting name, "Thousand Beauties." Blooming profusely from the beginning of June until the last of July, the flowers appear in clusters (10 to 15 in cluster) of splendid size and quite double. The colors run from delicate balsam to tender rose through the intermediate shades of bright rose and carmine, with white, yellow and various other indescribable tints showing. There is no other Rose in cultivation like it. It is a strong grower, with but few thorns, magnificent foliage, impervious against mildew and absolutely hardy in the open ground everywhere. The most remarkable Rose of its kind in the world, and has been awarded numerous medals.

Alberic Barbier

A great new Yellow Climbing Rose. Very best hardy Climbing Rose in cultivation. Grows in almost any soil or situation, good or bad. Free from insect attacks, beautiful, heavy, waxy foliage. Continues in bloom for quite a protracted period; absolutely free from mildew; in short, the type of Rose that may be planted and forgotten; thrives without care. The beautiful yellow flowers are unusually full and double and are produced sometimes singly and sometimes in clusters, with the utmost freedom.

Prices of all Hardy, Climbing Roses offered on this page, except where noted, 20c each; 50c for any 3; larger size, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen, assorted varieties, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or Star size, 75c each.

some bush Rose. No other concern offers such a complete list of Climbing Roses as we, including, as it does, all the new kinds, as well as the old tried and true favorites which may be found spreading their beauty all over our fair land.

All the Climbing Roses in our unequalled list are on their own roots—a most vital point in a Climbing Rose. Some are absolutely hardy in the coldest parts of the country, while others growing luxuriantly in the Middle and Southern section, require some slight protection in the North.

All grown on their own roots; once planted they last a life-time. Each season they throw up from the roots strong shoots which if allowed to grow produce bloom the following season. These shoots should not be trimmed, but trained to supports. They thus increase in size and beauty each season.



A Thousand Beauty Rose bought from you a few years ago.
Very truly yours, MRS. FLORENCE R. ANDREWS, Connecticut.

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

* Dorothy Perkins

The Brilliant Pink Rambler Rose. Flowers are borne in large clusters, are very double, with prettily crinkled petals; remarkably pretty pointed buds, beautiful clear shell-pink in color, lasting a long time without fading. The bush is perfectly hardy in all localities, a rapid and thrifty grower, bearing its wondrous flowers in great clusters.

***EXCELSA**—A new and distinctive Rambler of remarkable merit. A remarkable grower, free from insects and producing a great quantity of blooms of crimson maroon with the tips of the petals scarlet. Flowers full and double and thirty or forty produced on a stem. The undesirable features of the Crimson Rambler, the unsightly foliage, is eliminated by the infusion of Wichuraiana blood. Hardy everywhere, and soon produces a magnificent bush. Will grow in any situation. An excellent variety for hedges and pergolas.

***DR. W. VAN FLEET**—Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkable delicate shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy-flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed. It very much resembles Souv. de Pres. Carnot in color. Strong, rapid grower. Immune from insects and disease. Foliage deep green the entire growing season.

***WHITE DOROTHY**—It is a rampant grower and in a short time will cover a large trellis with its long, sturdy canes clothed with brilliant green, shining foliage of splendid texture and free from mildew or attacks of insects. The flowers are of a brilliant, glistening white and are borne in great trusses, completely covering the plant, until it resembles a snowdrift.

NEWPORT FAIRY—A strong, sturdy grower, with healthy, bright green foliage. It is everblooming, producing an abundance of lovely single flowers of deep pink color, shaded lighter in center.

HELENE—Soft violet rose, base of petals yellowish white.

BORDEAUX—A new handsome, hardy, climbing Rose from France, with splendid clusters of wine-red flowers, larger than those of the Crimson Rambler. Strong, rapid grower. Foliage free from disease and insects. Leaves long and pointed.

DAWSON—A cross between Multiflora and General Jacqueminot. The flowers are bright carmine, very double and produced in large, pyramidal clusters.

LEUCHSTERN—Large bunches of single white flowers of bright rose, with a distinct white eye.

CLIMBING JULES MARGOTTIN—Flat carmine flowers the same as the parent plant, except a little smaller. Splendid for pillars, etc.

CLIMBING WHITE PET—Snow-white; cherry-like fragrance.

CLARA JACQUIER—Small nankeen-yellow flowers are produced profusely in large clusters like Crimson Rambler. Hardy; early.

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Climbing Rose, Dorothy Perkins.

* Philadelphia Crimson Rambler

This now famous variety differs from the old Crimson Rambler in having brighter, deeper and more intense crimson color. Earlier than the Crimson Rambler and entirely free from mildew. Flowers perfectly double and of excellent substance.

Crimson Rambler

(The Rose of the Masses)—One-year-plants will attain a height of 10 to 20 feet in a single season, and the second year they will continue to produce a marvelous profusion of rich and glowing crimson flowers in large clusters. It presents a vivid crimson mass of beauty when in full bloom, during June and July. It is absolutely hardy everywhere.

RUBIN (A New Rambler)—Flowers are large and more double than Crimson Rambler; color bright, shining crimson-scarlet. Hardy in all localities. A strong, rampant climber, and has received a certificate of merit by the German National Rose Society.

***THE FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD**—A rampant climber, it bears continuously enormous clusters of brilliant crimson flowers from early spring until frost. The youngest plants bloom profusely the first year. Absolutely hardy everywhere and retain the bright fresh green of its foliage all summer. Don't fail to include this marvelous, hardy, everblooming climbing Rose.

YELLOW RAMBLER (Aglaia)—Flowers are deep golden yellow and very fragrant.

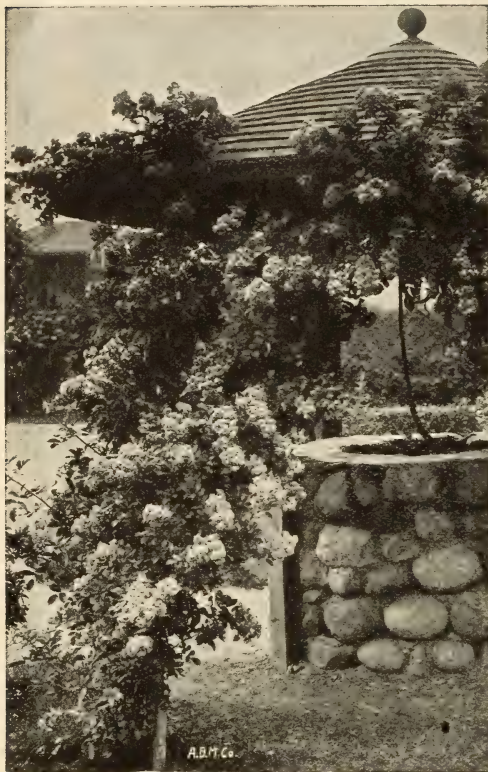
WHITE RAMBLER (Thalia)—Flowers pure white, sometimes tinted with blush.

PINK RAMBLER—Large trusses of brilliant carmine flowers. Very popular.

EMPRESS OF CHINA—The Apple-Blossom Rose. Soft dark red, changing to light pink, like an apple blossom.

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

*Lady Gay



Climbing Rose Lady Gay.

*Keystone

Perfectly hardy everywhere, blooms in wonderful profusion, absolutely immune from insect attacks and has a vigor of constitution found in no other kind. The open flower of Keystone is perfectly double, with buds beautifully formed. It is a deep lemon-yellow Rose, similar to Coquette de Lyon. The fragrance is much like that of magnolia blossoms. Readily attains a height of 15 feet in a season, branching freely, and has always come through the winter without damage, even in the most exposed situations, not requiring protection. Keystone possesses every feature that denotes a good Rose.

***LADY GODIVA**—A magnificent white sport from Dorothy Perkins, with flowers growing in splendid clusters and of remarkably vigorous growth and handsome foliage, and free from ravages of insects or disease.

LILY ITO—A pretty, dainty foliaged climber of rapid growth, which bears a great profusion of small Polyantha flowers of pearly blush. A Japanese importation.

HIWATHA—Single, deep intense crimson shade; petals shading pure white at the base. Foliage light glossy green.

MINNEHAHA—New. A charming double satiny pink flowering Rambler of a most pleasing color. Flowers are borne in clusters; foliage glossy green.

Flowers of a delicate cherry pink color, which fades to a soft white; deep green foliage. Vigorous grower, perfectly hardy. Will cover a large porch or trellis in an incredibly short time. One of the most charming of all climbers.

TRIUMPHANT—Deep rose, changing to pale carmine; shaded and variegated.

WHITE MICROPHYLLA—Perfectly double and sweet; pure white.

MULTIFLORA—Fairly covers itself with great clusters of small, white, single, fragrant flowers.

SUPERBA—Bright rosy pink, clear and beautiful. Blooms in clusters.

TENNESSEE BELLE—Bright rosy blush; large, full and fragrant.

***NORTHERN LIGHT**—Strong, upright grower, bearing quantities of beautiful pink and white Roses of various shades and combinations of color. Quite double.

PINK ROVER—The open flowers have the delicate tints of Alba or Maiden's Blush Roses. It is of climbing habit; hardy, with protection, and very sweet. Color pale pink.

PRAIRIE QUEEN—Color bright pink, sometimes with a white stripe. Large, compact, globular; full and double.

PRIDE OF WASHINGTON—Bright amaranth, shaded rose center; large, double clusters.

LA FIAMMA—Dark, glossy green foliage. Flowers crimson and white.

***AMERICAN PILLAR**—A new Climber of extremely vigorous habit of growth, the bushes being clothed in lively green from earliest spring until late in the fall. The flowers are produced in profusion, fairly covering the bush, and their pretty pink color is a delight to the eye. In the fall, the flowers are followed by large clusters of attractive red berries, which are highly ornamental. Planted singly or in groups on the lawn, this Rose is sure to evoke favorable comment. Strong young plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; two-year-old plants, 45c each.

BALTIMORE BELLE—Pale blush variegated carmine-rose and white. Very double flowers in beautiful clusters.

BIRDIE BLYE—Buds long and pointed. Color bright carmine, changing to bright satiny rose as they open. Blooms produced at the end of every shoot in clusters.

***CHRISTINE WRIGHT**—Large, thick, leathery foliage. Flowers 4 inches in diameter. Color bright, clear pink, almost double; borne in large clusters.

***GAINSBOROUGH**—Delicately tinted flesh, almost white and lustrous as satin. An admirer compared the flower to a beautiful girl wearing a Gainsborough hat ornamented with white ostrich plumes; hence the name.

***VEILCHENBLAU, or VIOLET BLUE (Blue Rose)**—The Blue Rose is one of the most rampant growers we have ever seen, covering a large porch in a single season. The flowers are borne in loose clusters and are of a delightful shade of blue—something entirely different from any Rose in cultivation.

Price of all Roses on this page, strong one-year-old plants, 15c each, 4 for 50c; larger size, 20c each, 3 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or Star size Specimen plants, 75c each.

Climbing American Beauty

American Beauty is perhaps the best known, most popular and impressive Rose in cultivation. Big, gloriously rich in fragrance, the flowers are simply superb. Every Rose expert has longed to produce this Queen of Beauty in climbing form through the delicate science of hybridizing and cross breeding. This is no ordinary Climbing Rose, but is a vigorous, rampant, climbing type of the real American Beauty, with its gorgeous flowers, and surpassing fragrance. Immense blooms measuring 3 to 4 inches in diameter; and each one is invariably produced on a separate stem. The color is glowing crimson red, the real American Beauty color. The foliage is magnificent and is an important feature in climbing Roses, for without healthy, leathery foliage any climbing Rose is a failure, because it is unsightly. Climbing American Beauty has tough, beautiful, glossy green foliage, which in itself is ornamental and retains its brightness during the entire season. Absolutely hardy in all localities and withstands the rigid winters of a temperature 10 to 25 degrees below zero without protection. Equally satisfactory in the warmer southern climates. For single specimens, for pergolas, for climbing over verandas, or any place that an ordinary vine will grow, Climbing American Beauty will thrive. It does not require any petting or coaxing.

Remember, every plant is pot grown, and unlike stock sold by nursery agents, is on its own roots. Once planted, it practically lasts forever.

Prices: Strong, one-year-old plants, 20c each; larger size, 30c each, postpaid; strong, vigorous two-year-old plants, 50c each; still larger specimen plants, 75c each by express.

WHITE BANKSIA—Pure white, violet-scented flowers; perfectly double.

YELLOW BANKSIA—Fine clear yellow; very full and beautiful.

TAUNUS BLUMSCHEN—A new rose-pink Rambler; a most profuse bloomer.

TRIER—Produces immense trusses of pale rose-colored flowers, changing to white.

GREVILLE, or SEVEN SISTERS—Flowers in large clusters; varies from white to crimson.

PSYCHE—White, suffused with salmon-rose and pink, base of petals yellow.

RUSSELL'S COTTAGE—Dark, velvety crimson; very double and full.

MRS. F. W. FLIGHT—Recommended as the "Queen of all Ramblers." Beautiful carmine flowers, with white center; large, semi-double in form, and borne in enormous clusters. Very free flowering. Unsurpassed for arches and pillars. Magnificent; try it.

PERLE DES NEIGES (Multiflora)—Perpetual flowering. Foliage and growth of Crimson Rambler, with large panicles of double, snow-white blossoms. A free and continuous bloomer.

Price of all hardy Climbing Roses offered in this section, except where noted, 15c each, 50c for any 4; larger size, 20c each, 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or Star size Specimen plants, 75c each.



Climbing American Beauty.

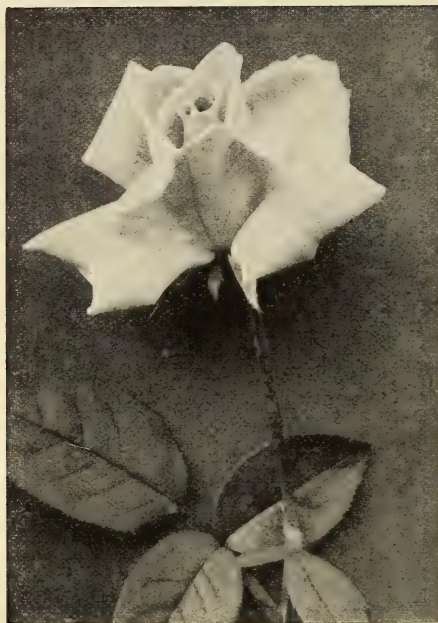
*Silver Moon

Hardy Climber. Blooms very large, four or more inches in diameter, pure white in color and of good substance, beautifully cupped, forming a clematis-like flower. The large bunch of yellow stamens in the center makes it very attractive. The blooms are produced on long stems 12 to 15 inches in length. Sweetly scented. Rank grower.

CLIMBING FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—As Frau Karl Druschki, or White American Beauty, has become one of the leading white Roses, so we expect this climbing form of the same Rose to become one of the most popular white climbers, as it well deserves to be, with its large, glistening white flowers and magnificent, large, fresh green foliage. It has created a positive sensation wherever grown. Entirely hardy everywhere. First size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; larger size, 50c each; two-year-old plants 75c each.

WEIGAND'S CRIMSON RAMBLER (Non Plus Ultra)—Introduced as an improved Crimson Rambler; a little fuller in the flower and deeper in color. Two weeks earlier.

Hardy Climbing Hybrid Tea Roses



Climbing Killarney.

The Roses on this and the next page are noted for the exquisite beauty of their flowers, rivaling, as they do, those of the Hybrid Tea class. They are all wonderfully strong growing, hardy and vigorous, and in constant bloom all summer. In the middle sections of the country and in the Northwest they thrive and bloom most luxuriantly, while in the warmer sections they fairly run riot in their glory of growth and bloom. Even in the coldest Northern States they grow to perfection, but will require protection in winter.

*Climbing Pink Killarney

The beautiful flowers of this wonderful Rose are identical with the parent variety, but the bush is of the climbing habit of growth, placing it at once in a class by itself, because there is no other climbing variety of its color. It is a strong, rapid grower, growing to perfection in the open ground, throwing up shoots 10 to 15 feet high in a single season, and is entirely hardy. It blooms continuously throughout the season, and the flowers are magnificent beyond description, immense, long, pointed buds with massive petals, opening into flowers of enormous size; color deep pink, bright and sparkling, an exquisite shade, deliciously fragrant; in fact, one of the greatest new Roses ever offered.

***CLIMBING WHITE KILLARNEY**—An exact counterpart of the bush Rose White Killarney, but a vigorous climber. Produces blooms of purest white of same formation, and on single stems same as the bush Rose. Hardy everywhere, and blooms all season. Price, first size plants, 25c each, 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.

*Climbing Gruss an Teplitz

OR VIRGINIA R. COXE.

A valuable addition to this class of Roses so rapidly coming into popularity on account of their blooming qualities. This is an exact counterpart of the bush Rose Gruss an Teplitz, but a vigorous climber, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. When it first blooms in the spring it is a dazzling sheet of velvety crimson. Each bloom is produced singly on long stems, the same as the bush variety so well known. It produces blooms throughout the growing season.

MRS. ROBERT PEARY—A strong and rapid grower, coming to perfection in the open ground. Small plants of Mrs. Robert Peary will bloom continuously throughout the season and the flowers are magnificent beyond description. The buds are long and pointed, finely modeled and gracefully finished, while the fragrance is indeed delicious. The flowers, when open, are of splendid substance, extra large, deep and double, produced on long, stiff stems, like those of a forcing Rose.

***CLIMBING COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON**—A sport from the Hybrid Tea Rose of the same name, but a remarkable grower. Magnificent blooms on long, single stems, full and double. Color exquisite shade of soft, rich carmine. In bloom all summer. Hardy in all localities.

CLIMBING MAD. JULES GROLEZ—A climbing form of one of the finest of the new Hybrid Tea Roses—Mad. Jules Grolez, a Rose described as a red Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. The bush is remarkably thrifty.

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Climbing Gruss an Teplitz.

HARDY HYBRID TEA CLIMBERS—Continued.

*Climbing White Maman Cochet

For many years the old White Maman Cochet has been considered one of the very best of all White Tea Roses, and this new climber has all the superfine qualities of that old standard Rose, with added value in its climbing habit. The foliage is strong and of a delightfully fresh green, is not subject to disease or insect attacks, and even when not in bloom the plant is of great charm, adding great beauty to the house. The exquisite white flowers, every one of which is a perfect specimen of the White Maman Cochet Rose, are borne in great profusion, fairly covering the plant all summer, for it is one of the most constant bloomers of all the white climbing Roses. It is absolutely hardy, except in the extreme North, where it requires some slight protection. It is a strong, vigorous grower, throwing up strong canes 15 or 20 feet long in a season.

***CLIMBING WOOTTON**—A strong and rampant climber, growing in one season to a height of 10 to 15 feet, with large and heavy insect-proof foliage; it produces superbly formed flowers in wonderful profusion. They are bright and magenta-red, passing to violet crimson, richly shaded.

CLIMBING HELEN GOULD—Really a climbing Tea Rose, with the same magnificent, deep and double flowers, the same freedom of bloom as shown in the bush Rose Helen Gould or Red Maman Cochet. The growth is sturdy, the foliage grand, the flowers warm, rosy crimson, sometimes beautifully striped, flamed and shaded in bright carmine over pale rose.

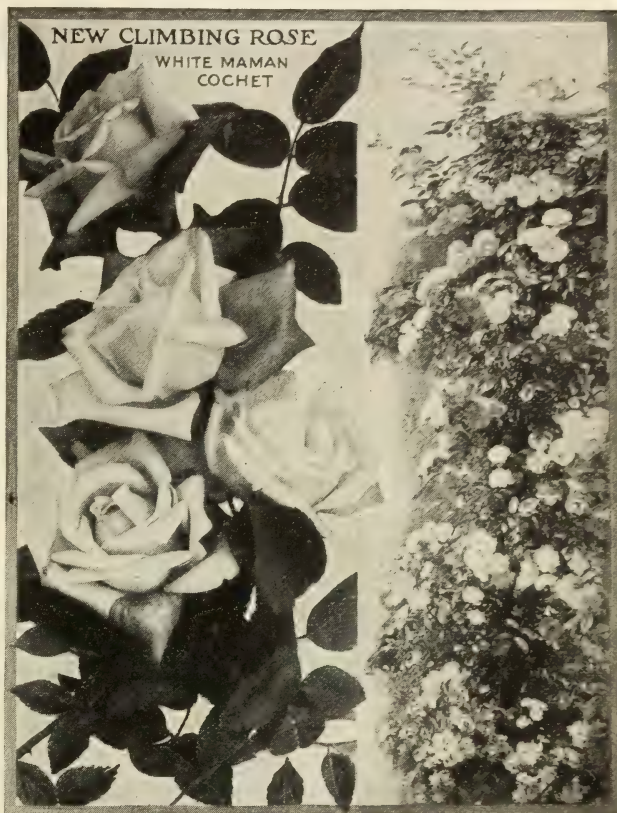
***CLIMBING METEOR**—A superb everblooming climbing Rose. A sport from Meteor, famous for its magnificent flowers. True climbing habit, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Free, persistent bloomer, with magnificently formed buds and flowers. Dark, velvety crimson, the equal of any Rose in cultivation.

***CLIMBING CLOTILDE SOUPERT**—An offspring of that famous Rose, Clotilde Soupert, this beautiful, hardy, everblooming climber is excellent in every way. Produces cluster after cluster of the most finely formed flowers, large, round, perfectly double, with beautifully imbricated petals, the odor of which is delightful. The ivory-white color, shading toward the center to silvery rose, gives an effect that is indescribably beautiful. Climbing Clotilde is thoroughly hardy everywhere and needs no petting.

CLIMBING ROSEMARY—Identical with Rosemary; but a rank climber. Foliage good. Free bloomer.

Price of all Roses on this page, strong, one-year-old plants, 15c each, 4 for 50c; larger size, 20c each, 3 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or Star size plants from 6 and 7-inch pots, 75c each.

Our Roses are grown in large pots or crocks, which enables you to plant them safely any time during the growing season. Not like the usual nursery stock which is sent you with dry roots, and ten chances to one that they grow. Ours are shipped with the earth attached to the roots, and no risk in planting. We guarantee to deliver them in good growing condition. Few give you such a guarantee.



Climbing Tea and Noisette

*Marechal Neil M. H.

This is the wonderful golden Rose our friends in the Southland are so fortunate in being able to grow in their gardens to perfection, and which yields such splendid returns if given slight protection and care in the North. Buds and flowers superb; extra large, very double, and deliciously perfumed. Deep golden yellow. Blooms with greatest freedom. In the North should have very careful protection in open ground during winter.

BEAUTY OF GLAZENWOOD (M. H.)—Brilliant golden yellow.

***CLIMBING MARIE GUILLOT**—Pure snow-white, tinged with pale yellow.

***JAMES SPRUNT (M. H.)**—Deep cherry-red, double.

***REINE MARIE HENRIETTE (H.)**—Extra large flowers; glowing crimson.

WASHINGTON (M. H.)—Large, pure white; double.

WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON (M. H.)—Coppery yellow, flushed with carmine.

CLIMBING MARIE GUILLOT—Pure snow-white, tinged with pale yellow.

CLIMBING CECILE BRUNNER—Color rosy-pink, rich, creamy white ground. Needs protection.

CLIMBING BRIDESMAID—Clear, dark pink.

STRIPED REINE MARIE HENRIETTE—Striped and flamed in bright carmine and pale rose.

Popular Decorative Ferns

There is no plant that seems to fill such an important place as these Decorative Ferns. Their adaptability to almost all conditions makes them the best decorative plant grown. Easy of culture, equally adapted for indoor or out, that no one should be without them. Use a soil composed of five parts; two parts of good garden soil, two parts finely screened peat or leaf mold from the woods, and one part sharp clean sand. This should then be thoroughly sterilized by putting in an oven and baking in order to destroy earth worms, etc. Place some broken pieces of pots or crocks and some charcoal in the bottom of each pot for drainage. A temperature of not less than 55 degrees F. should be maintained at all times, with a rise in the day time of 10 degrees to 15 degrees. Judgment should be exercised in watering. On warm days they should be syringed at least twice. Never allow them to become too dry. Insects which are most troublesome are thrips, red spider, scale and mealy bug. Thrips, red spider and mealy bug are easily prevented by a properly moistened atmosphere, also by spraying of foliage once a week with tobacco water, made the consistency of weak tea, and increased or decreased in strength as occasion demands.

SCOTTII (Dwarf Boston or Newport Fern)—Much more bushy growth than the Boston. The fronds droop gracefully, but are not as long and heavy as the Boston. Very rapid grower. A great demand for house Fern.

TEDDY, JR.—New dwarf Fern. Fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from base to tip, drooping just enough to make a graceful plant. Produces nearly four times as many fronds as any other Fern introduced. Compact, vigorous grower and thrives under most any condition.

MAIDENHAIR FERN (*Adiantum cuneatum*)—Has triangular foliage on thin, wire-like stems.

JACKSONII—Extremely strong grower. Resembling the Sword Fern, forming a large, upright plant in a short time.



Whitmanii Fern.



Teddy Junior.

WHITMANII COMPACTA—This is a condensed form of the "Ostrich Plume Fern," with valuable characteristics added which are not evident in the parent, the pinnae sub-dividing, making miniature fronds, looking as if two or more were condensed in one. Graceful beyond description.

THE BOSTON FERN—This Fern differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds which frequently attain a length of 6 feet, drooping gracefully over the side of the pot or jardiniere, and on this account it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit adapts this variety for growing as a single specimen for a table or pedestal. Equally good for outdoors during the summer months as well as a decorative plant for indoors during the winter.

WHITMANII (Ostrich Plume Fern)—More of a dwarf habit than the Boston Fern. The fronds are of entirely different nature. Each frond is subdivided on the order of the Compacta fern, thus producing a very beautiful effect. Its decorative ability is excellent.

AMERPOHLII (Philadelphia Lace Fern)—The fronds lace-like, dense and delicate. Small leaflets are subdivided into perfect miniature fronds. The side ones stand at right angles together and on edge instead of flat, giving both sides the same beautiful appearance. It is impossible not to see the beauty and grace of this wonderful Fern.

ROOSEVELT—Resembles the Boston Fern, but produces many more fronds, thus making a handsomer and bushier plant; in fact it today is more popular with the florists than the Boston; it will make a larger plant in a shorter time. The fronds are beautifully undulated, giving it a very pretty rising effect that is seen in no other Fern.

Price of all Ferns in extra strong pot plants, 20c each, 6 for \$1.00; large plants from 4- and 5-inch pots, 50c each, postpaid.

Japanese Fern Ball

Composed of dormant Japanese Fern roots and moss, so put together that they send out beautiful leaves from every point. Place the ball in water for 15 minutes, then suspend it in any desired position and sprinkle occasionally as required. Large balls, 5 inches and over in diameter, 40c each; 2 for 75c, postpaid; larger balls, 7 to 9 inches in diameter, 60c each, 2 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Gorgeous Flowering Dahlias

These popular flowers are a great specialty with us and our collection contains the finest new and old varieties. Dahlias succeed in any soil or situation. They bloom profusely, beginning about the first of August and continuing until killed by frost, producing flowers of magnificent form and exquisite colors. After blooming, the roots should be taken up and wintered in a dry cellar. Plant them freely. Their gorgeous flowers coming as they do, when almost all other flowers have vanished, will amply repay their trifling cost. A small collection will make a magnificent display.

Fancy Dahlias

- Ethel Schmidt**—White, suffused pink, spotted and penciled crimson. Perfect form and produced in the greatest profusion on long, slender stems.
- Fern Leaved Beauty**—Rich red, tipped white, with fern-like foliage.
- Frank Smith**—Rich maroon, tipped white.
- Uncertainty**—Color varies from bluish pink to dark red, with all the intermediate variations, no two flowers alike.
- Gold Medal**—Brightest yellow, spotted and penciled vermilion. Strong plants.
- Mrs. John Downie**—Intense golden yellow, tinting lighter toward the edges, beautifully striped bright glowing red. Always perfect and full to the center. An early, profuse and continuous bloomer.
- Marie Gehring**—Bright canary yellow, lightly striped cardinal red.
- Gold Smith**—Yellow edged and striped bright crimson. A magnificent flower.

Decorative Dahlias

- Clifford W. Bruton**—Very large, clear canary yellow.
- Dorothy Peacock**—The flowers are of large size, exquisite form, while the color is beautiful, clear, live pink.
- Flora**—The best pure white decorative, large, early, profuse and continuous bloomer, long stems.
- Golden Wedding**—A giant in flower and plant. This is probably the largest of all Dahlias, while the color is that deep golden yellow found in the Golden Wedding Chrysanthemum.
- Grand Duke Alexis**—White edged lavender, quilled petals.
- Jack Rose**—The best crimson for garden or cutting; that brilliant crimson red that makes the "Jack" Rose so popular, and suggested the name.
- Minnie McCullough**—Very striking. Soft golden yellow tipped bronzy red; effective under artificial light, perfect form, on long erect stems.
- Mrs. J. Gardner Cassatt**—A new Rose pink decorative Dahlia, that has attracted the greatest attention. The flowers are of immense size and borne abundantly on long stems.
- Mrs. Roosevelt**—Very large, soft pink.
- Nymphaea**—One of the most delicately beautiful. White suffused shrimp pink.
- Professor Mansfield**—A giant decorative of most unique coloring, a pleasing combination of yellow, red and white.
- Sylvia**—Deep long tinting to flesh pink at center; large, perfect form, on long stiff stems. One of the best for cutting or garden.
- Virginia Maule**—Very large, white, delicately suffused shrimp pink.

Show Dahlias

- A. D. Livoni**—Clear, bright pink; quilled petals; best pink Show Dahlia.
- Arabella**—One of the loveliest; soft primrose, shaded and tipped rose.
- Chas. Lanier**—Very large, golden yellow, shaded amber.
- Princess Victoria**—Finest pure yellow Show Dahlia. Clear, pure canary-yellow, without shade or blemish from bud to old age. Perfect form, on long, slender stems, extremely early; profuse bloomer.
- Storm King**—The earliest white Show Dahlia; perfect form and extremely profuse bloomer.
- White Swan**—Large, pure white. Reliable.

Peony-Flowered Dahlias

- Sensation**—Vermilion red, tipped snow white. Distinct and striking. A strong, vigorous grower and profuse bloomer.
- John Wanamaker**—This wonderful new creation marks a new era in Dahlia culture. It is not only one of the largest and handomest, but has a distinctly new habit of branching, or stooling, right at the ground. The color is an exquisite and fashionable shade of rose lake, or popularly called, orchid-pink.



Cactus Dahlia.

Cactus Dahlias

- Country Girl**—Large, deep golden-yellow, tipped bright amber. Beautifully incurved petals.
- Frute**—Soft salmon pink, shaded and tipped clear, bright pink. This is the clearest and finest pink Cactus Dahlia, as the predominant color effect is clear, pure salmon pink.
- J. H. Jackson**—Very large, rich velvety maroon.
- Juliet**—Rosy pink, tinting lighter toward the center. Very large, with long, incurved petals.
- Kriemhilde**—Deep rosy pink with lighter center. A distinct and valuable variety, as the flowers keep a long time after cutting.
- Mrs. George Stevenson**—Very large, clear canary-yellow. The best yellow cactus.
- Mrs. H. J. Jones**—Scarlet, tipped white. Bright and effective.
- The Pilot**—Yellow, heavily tipped bright terra cotta.
- White Kriemhilde**—A new pure white Kriemhilde, the best commercial white Cactus Dahlia. It is a strong, vigorous grower, and very profuse bloomer. Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c.

Century Dahlias

- 20th Century**—Early in the season intense rosy crimson, shading to white at tips and base of petals, but as the season advances the flowers open lighter, until by October they are nearly white, a bright pink blotch in the center of the petals.
- Fringed 20th Century**—The first of a new race, with cleft or serrated petals. A great improvement of 20th Century, much larger, brighter color, while the stems are long, slender and stiff. Bright rosy crimson, with lighter markings. Height, 4 ft.
- Gigantea Alba Century**—Snow white, of immense size, beautiful form; produced in endless profusion on long, graceful stems. Height, 5 feet.
- Gladys Century**—The most distinct and beautiful of this wonderful class. Center of petals rosy crimson with rose pink band on either side, and white zone around the yellow center. Height, 3 feet.
- Golden Century**—The sensational golden yellow cut flower variety; owing to its rich shades, immense size, long, slender, wiry stems and good keeping qualities. Golden yellow shaded amber; gorgeous under artificial light. Height, 4 feet.

Prices of all Dahlias on this page, except where noted: Pot-grown plants, purchaser's selection, 15c each; 4 for 50c; \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid.



Bed of Famous West Grove Cannas.

Famous West Grove Ever-Blooming Cannas

We have a particularly fine collection of these imposing foliage plants. It includes all novelties and standard varieties which we have found to be worthy of distribution among our customers. Cannas are not hardy and should not be planted until danger of frost is past. Take the roots up in the fall and store them in a warm, dry place. No flowers will make such an attractive bed. Rapid in growth, freedom of bloom and ornamental foliage makes them so desirable for planting in beds, on lawn or yard, and especially after early-blooming bulbs are done, such as Tulips, Hyacinths, etc. These days of bargains no one should be without flowers such as these. We have specified the kinds suitable for three circular beds of different sizes, but can furnish other varieties if so desired. These are started plants from 3 and 4 inch pots. Price includes delivery. Safe arrival guaranteed. Order by number only.

Best New Cannas of Recent Introduction

MRS. WOODROW WILSON—Light green foliage veined. Color a rich but soft crimson pink with very large flowers with broad, overlapping petals. 25c each, postpaid.

PANAMA—The unusual color markings of this new Canna is its attractive feature. The orange-red petals are bordered with a broad edge of golden-yellow. 20c each, postpaid.

FIREBIRD—The color is extremely desirable, being absolutely pure scarlet with no suffusion, streaks or blotches. 3 to 4 feet. Price of strong pot plants, 25c each, postpaid.

KATE F. DEEMER—A rich yellow when first opened, but bleaching to almost pure white at the ends and developing a conspicuous scarlet throat. 5 feet. 20 cents each.

OLYMPIC—Gigantic heads. Rich oriental red with a lighter shade towards the center. 5 feet. 20c each.

METEOR—A brilliant new crimson Canna of unusual merit. Green foliage, massive blooms. 20c each.

MRS. ALFRED F. CONARD—4 feet. Color a beautiful shade of salmon-pink. Flowers of immense size. Producing blooms so freely as to make a continuous show for several months. Price, strong pot plants, 20c each.

ROSEA GIGANTEA—3 to 4 feet. A magnificent showy Canna of a rose to carmine-pink shade. Flower heads of immense size. Strong pot plants, 20c each.

IMPROVED MONT BLANC—Magnificent glistening pure white flowers. 3 feet. Strong pot plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

JUPITER—Beautiful, rich red flowers. 6 feet. 20c each.

WILLIAM SAUNDERS—Bright scarlet in immediate clusters; bronze foliage. 4 feet. 20c each, 6 for \$1.00.

KING HUMBERT—Orange scarlet, striped crimson. Foliage bronze. 4½ feet. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

Ornamental Leaved Cannas

Brandywine—Bronze-leaved; crimson. 4½ feet.

David Harum—Bronze foliage. Red. 3½ feet.

Egandale—Dark foliage, scarlet. 3½ feet.

Evolution—Bronze foliage, yellow. 5 feet.

John White—Variegated. Foliage red.

Wyoming—Purple foliage, orange flowers.

Standard Varieties

Beaute de Poitevine—Rich crimson. 4 feet.

Charles Henderson—Solid crimson. 3½ feet.

Comte de Bouchard—Yellow. 4½ feet.

Duke of Marlborough—Crimson. 3½ feet.

Florence Vaughan—Yellow, dotted red. 4 feet.

Florida—Scarlet with golden band. 2½ feet.

Striped Beauty—Red and yellow. 3 feet.

West Grove—Beautiful pink. 4½ feet.

J. D. Eisele—Vermilion-scarlet. 3½ feet.

Louise—Rose-pink, streaked red. 5 feet.

Maiden's Blush—The best pink. 3 feet.

Mlle. Berat—Large, pink flowers. 4 feet.

Philadelphia—Crimson-scarlet. 3 feet.

Pillar of Fire—Crimson-scarlet. 7 feet.

Queen Charlotte—Orange-scarlet. 3 feet.

Venus—Gay, rosy pink with mottled border. 4 feet.

Niagara—Deep crimson and yellow. 3 feet.

Mixed Cannas—Comprising good kinds, our selection, superb for bedding or massing. Strong plants, 10c each, 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.

We offer strong, well rooted plants from pots. Every plant is guaranteed to grow. After each variety we have indicated the height of plants when fully grown. Price, except where otherwise noted, strong pot plants with ample foliage, 15c each, 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00, \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid.

Canna Bed No. 16

FOR BED 4 FEET ACROSS

- 1 Red for center
6 Yellow for circle or all one color, postpaid.....**60c**

Canna Bed No. 17

FOR BED 7 FEET ACROSS

- 1 Red for center
6 Pink for first circle
12 Yellow or white for second circle or one color, postpaid.....**\$1.50**

Canna Bed No. 18

FOR BED 10 FEET ACROSS

- 1 Pink for center
6 Variegated yellow for first circle
12 Yellow for second circle
18 Scarlet for third circle, or any other colors desired.
Delivered.....**\$3.00**

Magnificent Summer-Flowering Carnation Pinks

We offer strong plants and, whether planted in the open ground or in pots, they quickly make large specimens, blooming profusely during the summer. For winter bloom pinch the plants back from time to time during the summer. Bring indoors in early fall. Grown in pots they will bloom abundantly during the winter.

NEW VARIETIES

Alma Ward—New white variegated; large and fragrant.
Dorothy Gordon—A fine, clear, deep shell pink.
Gloriosa—Pure deep pink.
Harlowarden—The best standard crimson on the market.
Mrs. C. W. Ward—Deep pink.
May Day—Charming white flower of large size.
Rose-Pink Enchantress—Deeper pink than Enchantress.
Sangamo—Brilliant red.
White Perfection—Clear brilliant white; fine form and very large.
White Wonder—A truly wonderful white flower of immense size.
Winsor—Charming shade of pink; extra large.
Price, strong pot plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; any 9 for \$1.00, postpaid.

STANDARD VARIETIES

Apple Blossom—Handsome white flower daintily marked pink.
Beacon—Dazzling scarlet; very large and full.
Boston Market—Standard white.
Enchantress—Brilliant pink; fine shade; large size.
Georgia—A great new white. Exquisite.
Lawson Enchantress—Brilliant pink; fine shade; large size.
Victory—Brilliant red; extra large flowers and particularly free in bloom.
White Enchantress—Magnificent large white flower of splendid form.
W. H. Taft—Handsome shade of pink; extra large flower.
Price, strong pot plants, 10c each; any 6 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Special Offer "Novelty Set." For \$1.00 we will send, postpaid, 6 of the New and 6 of the Standard Varieties, 12 in all. Order as the "Novelty Set."



Carnation Pinks.

The True Magnolia-scented Moonflower

(Ipomoea Noctiflora)

A single vine has been known to cover 25 square feet in a very short time, and upwards of a thousand buds and flowers are frequently seen on a single vine. The flowers are 4 to 6 inches in diameter, of a beautiful silvery whiteness; delightfully perfumed. They open in the evening and on cloudy days. **Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 10 for \$1.00.**

Blue Moonflower (Ipomoea Leari)—Habit of growth and flowering the same as the White, but the color is clear satiny blue, with well-defined crimson bars. **Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 10 for \$1.00.**

Special Offer The Blue Moonflower and the White Moonflower, one plant of each, 25c; two each, 50c; 5 of each for \$1.00.

CINNAMON VINE—A beautiful, hardy climbing vine, with heart-shaped leaves and delicate white blossoms. **15c for 3 bulbs; 6 for 25c; 50c per dozen; 25 for \$1.00, postpaid.**

MADERA VINE—Climber with white fragrant flowers. Free bloomer. **3 for 10c; 10 for 25c.**

Asparagus Sprengeri

For pots, vases, or hanging baskets. The long, slender branches droop most gracefully, clothed with feathery, emerald-green fronds. **Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c.**

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS—Foliage surpasses a Maidenhair Fern; in grace and finish resembles the finest lace. Elegant for cutting; one of the best plant in our collection. **15c each; 4 for 50c.**

Pot Hydrangeas

These are the popular plants of the day for growing in pots, boxes or tubs. Hardy for outdoors.

Otaksa—Rich pink, changing to snow-white and blue.

Avalanche—Large heads of pure white.

Gen. de Vibraye—Fine large heads of bright rose.

Price, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; large specimen plants, from 4- to 6-inch pots, 75c each, by express only.

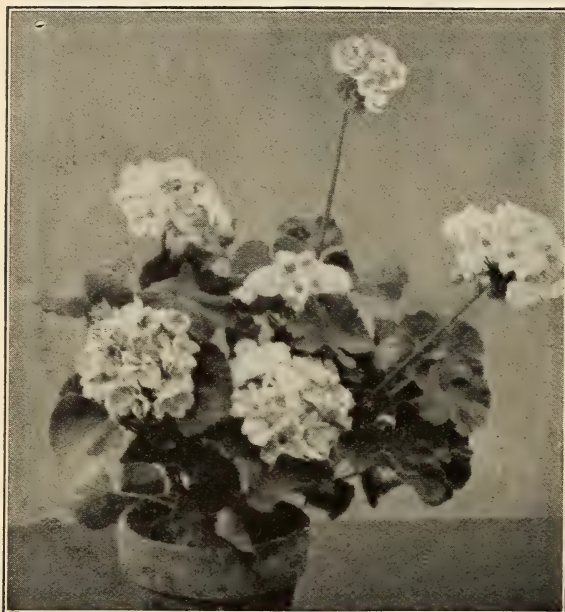
AMERICAN WONDER LEMON—Large dark green foliage; handsome pure white flowers, nearly as large as tuberoses blooms, fragrant as orange blossoms. The lemons have a thin rind for such large fruit, and are full of rich, acid juice. The plants will produce their magnificent, large fruit under ordinary cultivation the second year, and will prove a source of genuine delight. Plant in ordinary soil, in a pot or tub. Not only ornamental, but useful, as it will bear a fine crop of fruit each season. Very hardy. **Strong plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c; larger size, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 50c each, postpaid.**

OTAHEITE ORANGE—A dwarf reproduction of the genuine fruit-bearing orange tree, the flowers being identical. It flowers and fruits in pots and blooms continuously. Fragrance is delicious. Fruits immediately after flowering. Fruit measures about 3 inches in diameter and is edible. **Strong, young plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; larger plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; large two-year-old plants, 50c each, postpaid.**

SUMMER BLOOMING HYACINTH (Hyacinthus candicans)—Spikes of white, bell-shaped flowers. Perfectly hardy. **10c each; 3 for 25c; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.**

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM (Elephant's Ear)—A magnificent foliage plant, with immense leaves, often measuring 4 feet in length by 2 feet in breadth. Fine bulbs. **15c each; 4 for 50c; 10 for \$1.00; larger size, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.**

The Choicest Summer-Blooming Geraniums



West Grove Geranium.

New Pelargoniums

Swabian Maid. This remarkable Pelargonium is a sport from the popular variety Easter Greeting. Immense reddish carmine flowers with five very regular, nearly black blotches bordered with purplish carmine, producing a very effective coloring. Its robust growth and freedom of bloom make it an ideal decorative winter blooming plant. Always in bloom, and with its dark green foliage forms a striking contrast. Strong pot plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Wurtembergia. Blooms medium size, of a bright carmine with large, velvety, sharply defined blotches. Free blooming, makes an attractive decorating plant. Equally as good for bedding as a pot plant for winter blooming. Strong plants, 25 cts. each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Easter Greeting. This remarkable variety is famous as an Easter decorative plant, owing to its free blooming qualities, dark green foliage, robust growth and enormous bright colored flowers. Color a fiery amaranth red with five regular shaped spots. Equal to an Azalea as a pot plant. Strong plants, 25 cts. each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

PELARGONIUMS

15 cts. each, 4 for 50 cts., postpaid.

Lady Washington. Lilac-pink.

Pansy Pelargonium. Pink and crimson.

New Weeping Lantana

Beautiful for baskets, vases, pots or for outdoor culture and porch boxes. Produces its clear lilac-pink flowers by the hundreds from early Summer until severe frosts. Deliciously fragrant. Has a most graceful habit of growth. 15 cts. each, 4 for 50 cts.; larger plants, 20 cts. each, 3 for 50 cts.

Choice Double

Strong plants from 3-inch pots. 15 cts. each, 4 for 50 cts., postpaid; 10 for \$1.00.

Alphonse Ricard. Semi-double; orange-red.

Mrs. Lawrence. An excellent bloomer. Soft salmon pink, tinged white.

Cousin Jane. Clear rich pink, slightly spotted light red.

Jules Vasseur. Bright scarlet, white center.

Jean Viaud. Soft pink, white blotches.

Berthe de Priscilla. Dwarf habit. Fine bedder. Bright silver rose-pink.

John Boyle. Rich scarlet. Very effective.

Heteranthe. Bright scarlet.

Countess de Harcourt. Pure snow-white.

Mme. Buchner. Snow-white; vigorous.

Mme. Recamier. Pure white. Strong grower. One of the best whites.

Ornella. Magnificent. Semi-dwarf habit. Rich scarlet, shaded crimson.

S. A. Nutt. Rich, dark crimson. Superb.

Jean Oberle. Peach pink, shaded white edge.

Fleuve Blanc. Pure white. Dark green foliage. Compact grower.

La Cid. Charming shade of cardinal red.

Anais Segalas. Bright salmon. Zoned foliage.

Double Dryden. Coral white center, shading through a delicate lilac. Ideal pot plant.

Beaute Poitevine. Bright salmon-pink.

Dr. Despres. Changeable violet, marked vermilion.

Le Pilote. Glowing crimson-scarlet.

Double New Life. Outer flowers brilliant red, center pure white flowers.

Choice Single

La Favorite. Snowy-white; superb.

Mrs. E. G. Hill. Free bloomer. Light salmon.

Eugene Sue. Brilliant shade of russet-orange.

Granville. Deep rose-pink with white blotches on upper petals.

L'Aube. One of the best pure whites.

Jacquerie. Deep carmine-red.

Feuer. Brilliant crimson-red. Dwarf growth.

Antithese. Vermilion-scarlet.

Baron Grubissich. Bright, tender rose, white center.

Edmond Blanc. Large trusses of bright crimson. Coppery center.

Clifton. Solid color of bright red.

Ivy-Leaved Geraniums

Price, strong plants, 15 cts. each; set of six for 75 cts.

Dina Scalarandis. Double white, tinged lilac.

Rycroft's Surprise. Beautiful shade of rich pink.

Mrs. Banks. Blush-white, upper petals feathered deep pink; semi-double.

Alliance. Delicate lilac-white, upper petals feathered and blotched crimson-rose.

Pierre Crozy. Bright scarlet; dwarf compact habit.

Fancy and Sweet-Scented Geraniums

Strong plants, 15 cts. each, 4 for 50 cts.

Happy Thought. Green and white.

Madame Sallerol. Green, dotted white.

Prince Bismarck. Dark bronze.

Apple-Scented. A grand old favorite.

Rose-Scented. Delightful rose scent.

Lemon-Scented. Deliciously scented.

Cissus, Discolor

Trailing Begonia. Long, heart-shaped leaves, as handsome as Begonia Rex. For trailing over the side of a window-box, or for hanging basket, or grown on a trellis in pots, it is unsurpassed. Strong plants, 15c each, 4 for 50c; larger size, 20c each, postpaid.

Quality Hardy Perennials

The Old-Fashioned Hardy Flowers

The garden or border of Hardy Perennials is about the most valuable and lasting asset of the flower garden. Annuals, flowering bulbs and even shrubs may be dispensed with more consistently than these old-fashioned Hardy Perennials which for so long a time made the charm of the old-time gardens.

There is no spot so unfavorable, no soil so sterile or harsh that some flower of hardy nature may not be found to adorn it and thrive and grow more and more ornamental as the seasons come and go. It is well, however, to enrich the soil before planting with some well-decomposed manure, dug deeply and well pulverized.

Secure field-grown clumps in the spring or fall. Plant them well into the soil and as soon as they have had two or three good frosts, and just before the ground freezes, cover with about three inches of leaves, nature's protection. Remove gradually in the spring. Do not overcrowd. A very good rule to go by in planting is to set the plants one-half the height they attain when fully developed. For example Delphinium, which grows three feet high, should be planted eighteen inches apart.

We list the different varieties in groups, according to their blooming period. Thus one may have some of these flowers blooming from early spring until late fall, up until freezing weather.

The figures in description indicate the height of the plants when fully grown.

We offer strong, pot-grown plants at 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, post-paid; all one variety or assorted.

Blooming in April

AQUILEGIA (Columbine) *Canadensis*—Pretty scarlet flowers mixed with yellow. 1 to 2 feet.

Coerulea—Several blue and white flowers on a stem, sometimes tinted with lilac. Lovely for border or rockery. 9 to 12 inches.

Candidissima—Pure white. 2 to 3 feet.

BELLIS (English Daisy)—Charming edging plants, with button-shaped flowers. 6 inches. Separate colors, red or white.

ICELAND POPPIES—Mixed colors, yellow, white and orange. Dwarf growing, delicate flowered. Exquisite for bordering. 9 to 15 inches. Separate colors, white and yellow.

Blooming in May

ALYSSUM Saxatile Compactum (Gold Dust)—Deep yellow flowers in close flat heads. 1 foot.

Argenteum—Flowers deep golden yellow in dense heads. 12 to 18 inches.

ANCHUSA (Dropmore Variety)—Blue or purple flowers in racemes. 4 to 5 feet.

PAPAVEA (Oriental Poppy)—Rose and scarlet. Beautiful for cut flowers. 3 feet.

PYRETHRUM (Persian Daisy)—Single varieties. Artistic for home decoration, with fern-like foliage. Pink and white.

Roseum (Persian Daisy)—Single varieties. Artistic for home decoration, with fern-like foliage. Pink, lavender, red and yellow.

ULIGINOSUM (Great Ox-Eye Daisy)—A very bold and strong growing species, having a handsome and distinct appearance when covered with a profusion of its daisy-like blossoms. Perfectly hardy and prefers a sheltered position. 4 to 5 feet.

Blooming in June

CAMPANULA (Canterbury Bells)—Single, in separate colors, white, blue or rose. 3 feet.

Double Blue—8 inches.

Calycanthemum (Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bell)—Very beautiful in white, rose and blue. 3 feet. 6-7.

DELPHINIUM (Belladonna)—Everblooming hardy Larkspur. The most beautiful sky blue of dwarf habit. 3 to 4 feet. Blooms all summer until cut down by frost.

Formosum—Deep gentian blue with white bee. Long spikes. 18 inches to 2 feet.

DIANTHUS (Hardy Garden Pinks)—Double white and crimson. 12 to 18 inches.

GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower) *Grand Sanguinea*—Conspicuous for profusion and duration of bloom. Blood red. 2 feet.

Sulphurea Oculata—Sulphur yellow, maroon eye. 2 feet.

ACHILLEA (The Pearl)—Pure white double flowers in dense clusters; fine for cutting purposes and cemetery use. 2 feet. Blooms from June to October.

GYPSOPHILA ACUTIFOLIA (Baby's Breath)—Leaves narrow. Flowers rose-colored. 2 to 3 feet.

Paniculata—Rough narrow leaves, small white flowers. 2 to 3 ft.

HOLLYHOCKS (Everblooming)—Double or single mixed. 6 to 7 feet.

DIANTHUS BARBATUS (Sweet William)—Old garden favorites; no old-fashioned border is complete without their cheerful, sweet smelling and showy flowers. 2 feet.

Single Crimson.

Single Velvety Maroon.

Single White.

Single Scarlet Beauty—Intense, rich, deep scarlet.



Campanula Media—Canterbury Bell.

Blooming in July

SHASTA DAISY—Pure glistening white with small yellow discs. 18 inches.

DIGITALIS (Foxglove)—A fine genus of hardy plants, famous for their long racemes of inflated flowers, which suggest spires or towers of bells. 3 feet.

RUDBECKIA (Cone Flower)—The discs of the flowers are raised up, forming buttons or cones.

Fulgid—Orange-yellow flowers. Dark purple discs. 1 to 3 ft.

Purpurea—Reddish-purple flowers, drooping rays and large brown cone. 2 to 3 feet.

Newmanii (Dwarf Black Eyed Susan)—Handsome, rich orange-yellow flowers with black disc; valuable for cutting. For massing in borders or for half-shady positions under trees. 2 feet.

ANEMONE (Windflower, Coronaria)—Mixed. One of the best of the hardy perennials for cutting. 2 feet.

Blooming in August

HELIANTHUS MAXIMILIANA (Perennial Sunflower)—The latest of all, producing fine golden-yellow flowers in graceful sprays until late in the season. 5 to 7 feet.

Mollis Grandiflorus—Fine mixed. 4 feet.

STOKESIA (Stokes' Aster)—One of the choicest and distinctive of the perennials. Resembles the China Aster. Blue-lavender or white varieties. 12 to 18 inches.

TRITOMA (Red Hot Poker Plant; Torch Lily)—Unique in appearance, this is one of the most striking groups of plants in cultivation. A sky-rocket is not more startling. They require protection during the winter, but are of very easy culture. For borders or massing in the lawn.

Pfitzerii (Everblooming Flame Flower)—Best variety; flowers of rich orange-scarlet. 3 to 4 feet. 8-10.

Uvaria Grandiflora—Old fashioned variety with rich crimson shading to yellow. 3 to 4 feet. 8-10.

Blooming in September and October

ASTERS (Hardy, Fall Flowering) *Michaelmas Daisies*—These are among the showiest of our late-flowering hardy plants, giving a wealth of bloom during September and October.

Abendrote—Rosy-red flowers; plants about 3 to 4 feet.

Amellus Beauty of Kongsdorf—Of a tender lilac-rose of most perfect form. 3 feet.

Amellus Elegans—Dwarf, deep blue, large flowers, early.

Mrs. F. W. Raynor—Large, rich red. 4 feet.

Robert Parker—Light blue. 3 to 4 feet.

White Queen—White, fine. 3 to 4 feet.

Yucca Filamentosa - Spanish Bayonet

A low-growing evergreen plant with narrow leaves. The flower-stalk is from 2 to 4 feet high, and rises from the center. Creamy white, bell-shaped flowers. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.



Single and Double Violets.

Zephyranthes - Fairy Lilies

A MAGNIFICENT SUMMER-BLOOMING PLANT

A very beautiful species of half hardy bulbous plants. Flowers are produced singly on slender scapes from 6 to 8 inches high and from 1½ to 2 inches in diameter. Blooms all the time. Colors pink and white. For Winter-blooming, plant 6 bulbs in a 6-inch pot about one inch deep in light soil. Place in a shady place for a short time, then place in sunlight. Drain well and water frequently.

For outdoor planting, 3 inches deep and 8 inches apart. Cover well with litter in the Fall for Winter protection.

Rosea. Pink. 8 cts. each, 80 cts. per doz.

Alba. White. 7 cts. each, 70 cts. per doz.; one-half doz. at same rate, postpaid.

Baby Pink Zephyranthes

Dwarf habit, producing an abundance of blooms constantly. Color and culture directions same as Zephyranthes Rosea. Splendid for pot culture. Price, 7 cts. each, 70 cts. per dozen, postpaid.

SPECIAL OFFER F-28

4 Rosea and 2 Alba, postpaid, for 60 cts.

Fragrant Excelsior Tuberoses

Plant liberally of this beautiful summer flower. We offer only the finest bulbs.

Dwarf Excelsior Pearl—Flowers pure white, very double, of immense size and sweetly scented. 3 for 10c; 9 for 25c; 30c per dozen, postpaid.

Orange-Flowered—Bears single snow-white flowers, resembling orange blooms and delightfully fragrant. 5c each; 6 for 25c; 50c per dozen, postpaid.

New Variegated-Leaved—The leaves are bordered with white; white flowers. 5c each; 7 for 25c; 40c per dozen.

ALBINO—Early bloomer, dwarf branching habit; flowers waxy white and single; very fragrant. 3 for 10c; 30c per dozen.

Special Offer We send, postpaid, 9 Excelsior Pearl Tuberoses, 3 Orange-flowered and 3 New Variegated-Leaved—15 in all—for 40c.

Hardy Sweet Violets

Rich in modest beauty and famed for its enchanting fragrance, the Violet continues to increase in popularity. With the last snows of winter still about it, this gentle flower shyly appears from out its icy bed, heralding the coming of spring. All our plants are absolutely clean and healthy and will produce highly satisfactory results.

Prices, strong plants, 10c each; 3 for 25c; any 7 for 50c; any 15 for \$1.00; \$6.00 per 100.

Marie Lynch—In color it is a charming shade of lavender-pink and the foliage is a rich, dark green.

Admiral Avellan—Rich dark purplish red.

California—The largest Violet in cultivation. Rich, violet-blue; flowers on long stems.

Dorsett—Darkest, deep violet-blue; long stems, large flowers.

Farquhar—Double flowers of delicate fragrance, deep blue.

Governor Herrick—Rich, dark purple; single.

Lady Hume Campbell—The best double blue. Strong, healthy and perfectly hardy.

Luxonne—Soft violet purple; fragrance delicious.

Prince of Wales—One of the best. The large, blue single flowers are deliciously fragrant.

Swanley White—Pure white, perfectly double, fragrant flowers.

Peacock, New Violet—This is an entrancingly beautiful new Violet; the markings of its charming colors are difficult to describe. The prevailing color is white, with delicate tracings and markings of sky-blue.

Calla Lilies

Grand Winter-blooming pot plant. Easy to grow, free bloomers and superb flowers. Good at all seasons of the year. 20 cts. each, 3 for 50 cts., except where noted.

Little Gem. Rarely grows over 12 inches high. Snowy-white flowers in great profusion. We offer strong pot plants.

Spotted. Foliage exquisitely dotted with white; very ornamental, white flowers with black throat. We offer strong pot plants.

Lily of the Nile. The old favorite White Calla. Grand white flowers—chaste and beautiful. To aid profuse blooming, keep dormant from the middle of June until the last of August; repot in good, rich soil, using 6 to 8 inch pot; give water, light and heat in abundance, and the result will be most satisfactory. Strong plants.

Black (Arum Sanctum). A native of the Holy Land. Flowers very large, often measuring a foot in length. Inside of purplish black color; outside green.

New Yellow. Large, rich flowers, similar to the old white Calla in form; very fragrant. Color golden yellow.



EXCELSIOR PEARL
TUBEROSES

Hardy Shrubs

Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora

The Hydrangeas are extensively used for yard, lawn and hedge planting and for screens. Attain a height of 5 to 7 feet; hardy in all localities; bloom the first and every season in July and August, and continue in bloom for two or three months; the flowers are massive, cone-shaped, often measuring 10 inches in length, and have a pleasing variation of color, changing from original pure white to pink, and finally to a beautiful, rich coppery red.

Well-rooted field-grown plants, that will bloom this year. Prices: 15c each, 4 for 50c, 9 for \$1, postpaid; strong, two-year-old, field-grown, blooming plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1, by express or freight.

Althea - Rose of Sharon

The flowers are brilliant and striking in color, 9 to 12 feet high when matured. Bloom during August and September. **Alba Plena**—Large, double, pure white flowers.

Blanche—The nearest pure white of any double variety.

New Banner—Clear, rosy pink, striped rich crimson.

Buist Variegated Leaved—Beautiful green leaves, broadly margined silvery white; flowers double.

Double Purple—Deep reddish purple.

Carnation-Striped—Pink, with crimson stripes.

Totus Albus—Moderate grower; free bloomer.

Diervilla - Weigela

Used to advantage for single lawn specimens or for massing; strong, vigorous growers. 5 to 8 feet.

Candida—Snow-white flowers; late June.

Lavelle—Deep red flowers; beautiful.

Rosea—Flowers are large and of a deep rosy color.

Variegated Leaf—Green leaves, margined pure white.

Eva Rathke—Rich reddish purple.

Rubra—Red shading to light pink.

Forsythia Viridissima (Golden Bell)—Height 3 to 4 feet;

bright yellow bell-shaped flowers; blooms early.

ELAEAGNUS Edulis—The true fruit-bearing Elaeagnus.

Dark green foliage; small yellow flowers.

Elaeagnus Longipes—Fruit smaller than that of Edulis.

Double Japan Snowball

The whole bush in June is loaded with great compact balls of pure white double flowers borne in such profusion that they almost completely hide the leaves and branches. The foliage is peculiarly crimped and crinkled. Entirely hardy needing no protection. Field-grown plants one-year size, 20c each, 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1, postpaid; by express or freight, \$10 per 100; two-year, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 25 for \$5, by express or freight. Three-year, 50c each; 5 for \$2, \$4 per dozen, by express or freight.



Double Japan Snowball in Full Bloom.



Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora.

Deutzia

Crenata—4 to 6 feet; flowers white, double.

Fortunei—4 to 6 feet; a beautiful pure white sort.

Gracilis—2 to 2½ feet. Drooping; snow-white.

Pride of Rochester—Flowers are pure white.

Lemoinei—New. Immense. Purest white.

Berberis Thunbergi - Barberry

Grows three to four feet high; small, perfectly shaped rich green leaves, turning in autumn to bright scarlet. Flowers a delicate shade of coppery yellow, followed by beautiful, brilliant red berries, clinging all winter. Price, first-size plants, 12-inch, 15c each; 9 for \$1; \$10.00 per 100, by express; larger plants, 18 to 24 inches, \$12.50 per 100, by express or freight.

Spirea - Meadow Sweet

Aurea (Golden-Leaved Spirea)—Bright golden-yellow foliage and small white flowers.

Billardi—Spikes of rose-colored flowers; blooms profusely.

Bumalda—Dwarf-growing. Flowers rose-colored.

Callosa Alba—Dwarf white-flowering variety.

Callosa Rubra—Grows 3 to 4 feet high; deep rosy-red flowers.

Callosa Superba—Light red flowers in profusion.

Prunifolia (Bridal Wreath)—Double pure white flowers.

Reevesii—Single pure white; blooms latter part of May; attains a height of 4 to 6 feet.

Thunbergi—Blooms in April; compact, fern-like leaves; flowers borne in clusters.

Van Houttei—The bushes form fine, compact clumps. The pure white flowers are borne in great masses.

Perpetual Blooming Crimson Spirea, Anthony Waterer—It makes a low, compact bush, 15 to 18 inches high. Large umbels of deep crimson flowers.

Blue Spirea (Caryopteris Mastacanthus)—The dense flower-heads are of rich lavender-blue color.

PHILADELPHUS (Mock Orange) Grandiflora—Blooms in early June; flowers are creamy-white and very fragrant.

Price of all plants on this page, except where noted: One-year-old size, 20c each; any 3 for 50c; any 7 for \$1, postpaid. Two-year-old size, 35c each; any 3 for \$1; any 10 for \$2.50, by freight or express. Three-year-old size, 50c each; any 5 for \$2, any 10 for \$3.50, by freight or express.

These plants are dormant and should be planted as soon as the ground can be dug.



Wistaria.

Clematis Paniculata

The Most Wonderful of All Flowering Vines—Quick Grower, Exquisite Fragrance.

The flowers are pure white and are borne in great panicles or clusters of bloom, fairly covering the plants, so that it is a mass or sheet of fleecy white with an exquisite fragrance. It begins to bloom late in August the first year. Hardy in all sections of the country. Strong plants in pots, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; strong two-year-old field-grown plants, 25c each; 3 for 70c; \$2.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Ampelopsis - Boston Ivy

Either variety, fine plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; three-year-old plants, 3 feet in length, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

VEITCHII (Boston or Japanese Ivy)—It covers buildings and walls with a perfect mat of dark green, leathery foliage, which changes to a brilliant crimson as fall approaches. Clings to either tree or wood without support.

QUINQUIFOLIA (Virginia Creeper)—Large, dark green foliage.

AMPELOPSIS ENGELMANNI—A greatly improved variety of the Virginia Creeper with dense foliage of a glossy light-green in summer, changing to a brilliant crimson in the autumn. On a rough stone surface it will cling without support in the same way as the Japanese Ivy. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

AMPELOPSIS TRICOLOR (*Vitis heterophylla variegata*)—A beautiful and desirable climber, with fine dark green foliage, wonderfully variegated with white and pink; during the late summer and fall the plant is liberally covered with attractive small berries of a peculiar lustrous metallic peacock blue color; highly useful for trailing over rocks or for a low trellis. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger plants, 50c each, postpaid.

Dutchman's Pipe

(*Aristolochia Siphon*)—A very rapid-growing, hardy climber and well known in some parts of the country as "Chinese Yam." In a short time its large heart-shaped leaves make a dense shade. The flowers are long and pipe-shaped, hence the name. Price, strong plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger plants, 50c each, postpaid.

English Ivy

A splendid evergreen climber, with dark glossy green leaves; clings firmly to stone, brick or wood walls, without trellis or support; very desirable. 15c each; 9 for \$1.00.

Hardy Climbing Vines

The various plants described on this page are all perfectly hardy and of exceedingly rapid and vigorous growth. They are used extensively for covering old buildings, trees, fences, etc., which they will completely cover in the process of time. Some of them, like the Ivies, survive for ages and attain immense proportions.

Wistaria Magnifica

The finest Wistaria of its color now known. Extremely vigorous, growing 30 to 40 feet in one season when well established. The flowers are pale lilac, and the immense clusters of drooping racemes, which measure 12 to 18 inches in length, are deliciously fragrant. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

Wistaria Alba—There is nothing more striking or appropriate for pergolas and the ordinary trellises than this splendid vine. Pure white flowers. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

Mammoth Flowered Trumpet Creeper

Bignonia Grandiflora—One of the most superb climbing vines in existence. Grows with rapidity, is perfectly hardy everywhere. The flowers are trumpet-shaped and warm orange-red. Strong plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00; \$1.60 per dozen, postpaid; larger plants, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; \$3.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Akebia Quinata - Akebia Vine

One of the most graceful of our hardy climbers, with deep green, small foliage, and producing in early spring numberless bunches of violet-brown flowers, which have a pleasant cinnamon odor; most desirable for positions where a dense shade is not required. Strong plants, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Honeysuckle

Price, 15c each; two- and three-year-old plants, 25c each; assorted varieties, \$2.50 per dozen.

Chinese Sweet Scented—White and yellow flowers.

Red Coral—Red trumpet-shaped flowers.

Yellow Coral—The only true golden yellow Honeysuckle.

Golden-Leaved—Leaves beautifully veined and spotted with clear yellow. Flowers yellow and fragrant.

New Halliana—Evergreen and a constant bloomer; flowers pure white, changing to yellow. Very fragrant.

New Heckrothi—Clear rose, yellow at the base; sweet and fragrant; in constant bloom.

Kudzu Vine

(*Pueraria Thunbergiana*)—The most rapid growing vine in cultivation, attaining, after once being established, a height of 50 feet or more in one season. Its foliage is large, and furnishes dense shade; it bears small racemes of rosy-purple, pea-shaped blossoms towards the close of August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

California Privet

The one Best Hedge Plant, Combining Beauty and Hardiness.

California Privet has long been recognized as the one very best plant for Hedge purposes, as it is remarkable for its beautiful, dark-green, glossy foliage, its quick, strong and symmetrical growth, its freedom from insects and scale, and its adaptability to withstand pruning and trimming into any desired shape.

For many years we have made a specialty of growing California Privet for Hedges, and our stock cannot be surpassed anywhere. It is strong, thrifty and in the best of shape for transplanting. Each one a specimen plant. We have it in all sizes from one-year-old plants to large, vigorous bushes which can be used with telling effect in the formation of an immediate hedge. These large plants are the most economical to buy, for with them the years of tedious waiting for the hedge to grow will be avoided.

Our California Privet is not grown by the usual nurseryman's method, but is as carefully propagated as other higher-priced shrubs.

First size, 12 to 18 inches, 10c each; 6 for 50c, postpaid; \$3 per 100, by express. Second size, 2 to 3 feet, 15c each; 5 for 50c; \$6 per 100, by express or freight at purchaser's expense. (Orders for 50 filled at 100 rates).

Enormous Flowered Chrysanthemums

Since the introduction of these lovely autumn-flowering plants into Europe, some two hundred years ago, they have been developed to a wonderful extent. Those who have in mind the small, old garden varieties can not imagine the exquisite beauty of the newer sorts. They produce enormous massive flowers of most beautiful colors and perfect shape. Their culture is the easiest. Send for instructions "How to Grow Them," and if further information is desired it will be furnished upon application. Our collection contains the best and most beautiful of the newer varieties as well as the choicest of the standard sorts. We offer them at prices within the reach of all, as we would like to see them growing in every garden and in every home.

New and Rare Chrysanthemums

Price, except where noted, strong plants 15c each, 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00, \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid.

Chrysolora—One of the best yellow. Fine, incurved form, with perfect stem and foliage.

Black Hawk—Late. Dark velvety crimson-scarlet.

Early Snow—A pure early white, improved Polly Rose.

Golden Wedding—Loosely incurved, bright yellow.

Mlle. Jeanne Rosette—Delicate shade of pink.

Pacific Supreme—Pink.

Robert Halliday—Yellow; tremendous size.

Timothy Eaton—Most magnificent white.

Yellow Eaton—Bright yellow. Incurved petals, immense size, often measuring 6 to 8 inches.

Wm. Turner—A decided incurve of the purest white. Semi-dwarf. Fine form; strong grower.

President Roosevelt—Beautiful incurved. Blush with darker center petals.

Opah—Early. Blush pink.

Cullingfordi—Red. Darker shadings.

Gloria—Early. A beautiful light pink.

Chas. Razer—Early. A pure white of special merit.

Golden Eagle—Incurved. One of the finest yellows.

Standard Chrysanthemums

Price, strong, healthy plants, 10c each, 3 for 25c, 6 for 50c; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.

Cremo—Light yellow; fine shape.

Dr. Enguehard—Beautiful true pink. Ball shape.

Estella—Large, creamy white.

Glory of the Pacific—Showy pink.

Ivory—The standard white.

John K. Shaw—Ball-shaped; pink.

Major Bonaffon—Golden yellow. Ball-shaped. Petals beautifully overlapping.

Maud Dean—Incurved bright pink, with fine stem and foliage. Petals tipped white.

Miss Clay Frick—White sport from Wm. Duckham, possessing the same good qualities. Dwarf.

Miss Minnie Bailey—Bright lavender pink. Ball-shaped.

Monrovia—Large; yellow; very early.

Mrs. J. G. Whilden—One of the finest early yellows.

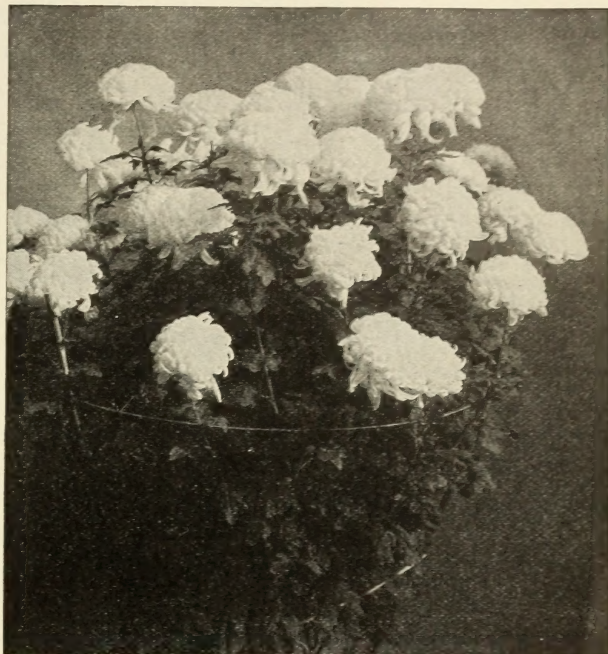
October Frost—Pure white; early.

Pink Ivory—Soft pearl-pink; magnificent.

White Bonaffon—Pure snow white. Beautiful shape.

Wm. Duckham—Extra large; pink.

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Chrysanthemum, Early Snow.

The "Popular" Set of Chrysanthemums EIGHT VARIETIES, 50c

CHYSOLORA—One of the best yellow varieties for early October. Fine incurved form with perfect stem and foliage up to the bloom.

PACIFIC SUPREME—A beautiful shade of deep pink; flowers of immense size and excellent form. Blooms early. Flowers develop without fading. One of the best pinks.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT—Beautiful incurved form. Blush, with darker center petals.

IVORY—Grandest of all whites. Mid-season.

MLLE. JEANNE ROSETTE—Delicate shade of pink. Immense blooms of magnificent form.

EARLY SNOW—A pure white, improved Polly Rose. Magnificent form.

GOLDEN WEDDING—Loosely incurved petals of bright yellow. Beautiful shape and color.

BLACK HAWK—Darkest crimson-scarlet. The only deep scarlet. Fine form and very large.

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Pompon varieties, white and yellow. Strong pot plants, 15c each, 4 for 50c, 9 for \$1, postpaid.

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The Most Wonderful Bush Rose in the World

(See the Colored Photographic Illustration on Outside Cover.)

To honor the name of Charles Dingee, we have produced a Rose better than any other variety in cultivation. We say without fear of contradiction that the Charles Dingee Rose is far-and-away the best garden Rose for general planting in the world.

It is always blooming, whether it is growing for us or growing with you. The flowers are beautiful beyond description, immense in size, deep, double and grandly formed. It is hardy everywhere.

The Charles Dingee Rose is the result of cross-breeding, between *Hermosa*, that grand old hardy pink variety, and *White Maman Cochet*, perhaps the greatest of all white garden Roses—a superb parentage, which insures its offspring every point of excellence. With the hardy, vigorous constitution of a Hybrid Perpetual, growing to perfection in almost any soil or situation, it has the most magnificent

foliage, absolutely free from disease, that we have ever seen on any Rose.

It is a tremendous grower, the best in our entire list of over 800 varieties. If you have a place where other Roses have failed in that spot, Charles Dingee will flourish and produce its gorgeous flowers with wonderful profusion. We have had it growing and blooming in all its glory in a temperature very little above freezing. Growing to a height of 2 to 3 feet, Charles Dingee blooms continuously, producing immense, deep, double, grandly formed flowers on long, stiff, erect stems; both in bud and bloom their beauty is nothing short of superb, practically impossible to describe because of their delicate blending of colors—rose tints in the center of flower, gradually shading off into pale blush creamy white, a color effect both entirely new and distinct, exquisitely beautiful.

Caution We are the originators and sole owners of the Charles Dingee Rose. Imitations and so-called duplicates of it are intended to deceive.

Strong, one-year-old plants, 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, \$2.25 per dozen; larger size, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 per dozen, postpaid. Large, two-year-old plants, on own roots, 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen; extra heavy, three-year-old plants (stock limited), magnificent specimens, ON OWN ROOTS, 75c each, \$8.00 per doz. by express.

Glenside, Pennsylvania, October 17, 1915.

Gentlemen:—The Special Rose Bush Collection of 16 for \$1.00 which I received from you about May 1st, far exceeded my expectations. The plants all thrived without any special attention. Some of them have had as many as half a dozen blooms at one time. The Climbing American Beauty is about seven feet high. The Sweetheart is about three feet high and has bloomed profusely.

Yours very truly,

FREDERIC S. CRISPIN.

Among the Dingee Roses at Sixty

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct., 13, 1916.

This picture was taken October 6, 1916, and shows three "Charles Dingee" Rose bushes which were planted last spring, with a "Climbing My Maryland" in the background. The Charles Dingee in the center, about 2 feet high, on that date had 5 Roses in bloom, each one about four inches in diameter. The foliage on each bush is as green and perfect as any time during the summer. I used no spray, nor protection of any kind—merely kept the ground constantly damp by sprinkling.

This is certainly a remarkable showing for this latitude at a date when the general run of flowers are gone—having been killed by several heavy frosts during the past month. The bushes are, however, in a protected spot, an ell of the house, with a southeast exposure, where they get the forenoon sun, but not the afternoon sun.

While the man in the picture has not been "Sixty Years Among the Roses," he is shown here among the Dingee Roses at Sixty.

Yours, FRANK ECKERT.



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Eagle

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